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CONSTITUTION

Adopted October 25, 1961

CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS

I. Name

This body shall be known as the Rowan Baptist Association.

II. Object

The object of this Association shall be to devise and promote measures for increasing the harmony and spiritual power of the churches within our bounds, to recommend plans for advancing the work of our Lord throughout the earth, and to cooperate with our Baptist State Convention and our Southern Baptist Convention in spiritual advance in such areas as Sunday School, Training Union, Woman's Missionary Union, Men's Brotherhood and Church Music, with the understanding that cooperation with the State and Southern Conventions is purely voluntary.

III. Membership

This body shall be composed of the ordained Baptist Ministers who are pastors of cooperating churches, our Associational Missionary, and messengers chosen and certified by the churches. Each church shall be entitled to two messengers for the first fifty members or any part thereof, and one messenger for each fifty above that number, provided no church shall be entitled to more than ten messengers. It shall be the duty of the churches to correspond annually with the Association by letter and messengers, and give in not only their statistical information but also facts concerning the general welfare; and to send contributions to pay the expenses of the Association. The Clerk shall furnish the churches with two printed forms for their annual report, these to be mailed at least six weeks before the annual session of the Association, and the churches are requested to have the letters in the hands of the Clerk not less than two weeks before the meeting of the Association.

IV. Officers

The officers of the Association shall be Moderator, Associate Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Historian, Sunday School Superintendent, Training Union Director, Brotherhood President, W.M.U. President, and Music Director. These shall be elected annually for a term of one year with the understanding that the Moderator will automatically retire after having served two complete terms. The term of office shall begin at the conclusion of the annual meeting of the Association and continue until the close of the next session or until their successors are elected.

V. TRUSTEES

In addition to the above named officers, the Association shall elect three trustees each year who shall hold in trust all property and effects of the Association, take care of and keep the same in repair, accept gifts for the Association and perform all other duties which the Association may declare, according to the laws of the State of North Carolina.

VI. MEETINGS

The Association will meet annually on the Tuesday and Wednesday after the fourth Sunday in October, and can be called into extra session if necessary by a majority vote of the Executive-Promotion Committee. All such sessions shall be conducted as prescribed in Kerfoot's "Parliamentary Law".

VII. POWERS AND PREROGATIVES

The Association shall have no power whatever to infringe upon the rights or usefulness of the churches. It may advise or recommend measures of usefulness for their adoption and guidance, but cannot bind them in any way. The churches constituting the Association shall each retain complete autonomy under Christ as supreme Head, Lawgiver, Governor and Lord over His churches, and unite only that they may more successfully promote the cause of Christ throughout the world. In case any conflict of interpretation shall arise as between this section and any other section of this constitution the interpretation of this section shall have precedence over the other.

VIII. COOPERATING CHURCHES

Any group of baptized believers in Christ, organized into a church, earnestly seeking to cooperate with our Baptist work in the Rowan Association, The Baptist State Convention, and the Southern Baptist Convention, having been received into the fellowship of this association shall be considered a cooperating church.

IX. COMMITTEES

1. *Executive-Promotion Committee.* The Executive-Promotion Committee shall be composed of the duly elected officers of the Association, the Pastors of all the churches within the Association and one Representative from each cooperating church. The duties of this committee shall be to carry out the policies and will of the Association in the interim between its annual sessions. The Com-

mittee shall not take any action contrary to the will of the Association or which would initiate any new policies of procedures. In an adequate emergency this committee may take such action as may be deemed necessary to conditions arising after the annual meeting of the Association. This committee shall meet quarterly, the time and place to be decided upon by the committee. The Moderator shall serve as chairman of this committee. This committee shall make a full report of its activities to the Association at its annual session.

2. *Other Committees.* The Association may constitute, instruct and discharge committees that may be necessary for the proper conduct of its affairs and promotion of its activities. These committees and a copy of their instructions shall be made a part of the minutes of the association each year.

X. AMENDMENTS

Any section of this constitution may be amended at any regular session of the Association by a two-thirds vote of the messengers present, provided the amendment is presented to the Association on the first day and voted on and passed on favorably the second day, or that notice shall be given during the meeting in one year and voted upon favorably the following year.

BY-LAWS

1. The Moderator shall be in complete charge of all meetings of the Association or the Executive-Promotion Committee.

2. In the conduct of business Kerfoot's "Parliamentary Law" shall be followed.

3. These By-Laws may be amended at any time by majority vote of the Association.

By - Laws

COMMITTEES OF THE ASSOCIATION

1. *Associational Missions Committee.* This committee shall consist of seven members. Its duties shall be to assist our Associational Missionary in every way possible, to seek out places where Baptist work is needed, and to work with our Associational Missionary or a sponsoring church in establishing such work. The chairman of this committee shall make a report at the annual meeting of our Association on the work of our Missionary for the preceding twelve months period. In the event that the Association should find itself without a Missionary, this committee shall, with the assistance of the Executive-Promotion Committee, endeavor to locate a suitable person for the office. When it seems that such person has been found the committee shall bring its report to the Executive-Promotion Committee for its approval or rejection.

2. *Committee on Reception of New Churches.* A committee of 3 members, elected by the Association shall receive and study petitions from churches desiring fellowship in this association and make recommendations to the association regarding the disposition of such petitions. These petitions should be presented to the committee at least two weeks prior to the annual meeting of the association.

3. *Finance Committee.* This committee shall keep itself informed concerning the financial needs of the Association. It shall see to it that all expenditures are kept within the budget, and supervise all financial matters. Along with its annual report to the Association it shall bring a proposed budget based upon the needs of the associational program, and the ability of the churches to support this program. This proposed budget shall be presented to the Executive-Promotion Committee at the July meeting for adoption and distributed to the churches immediately thereafter.

4. *Audio-Visual Aids Committee.* The Associational Missionary, together with four other members, shall constitute this committee, with the Missionary serving as chairman. This committee shall have charge of all visual aid equipment of the Association and keep same in good repair. It shall recommend to the Executive-Promotion Committee additional purchases of this equipment when such is to the best interest of the Association, and if the cost of such purchase is above the amount set aside in the budget for this purpose. The equipment shall be made available for use by the churches in the promotion of the entire Associational program. When this equipment is borrowed and put to use by any church or organization of the association it is to be returned promptly to the office of the Missionary. Those who use this equipment shall be requested to handle same with care and to be responsible for any damage other than normal wear.

5. *Program Committee.* This committee shall be composed of

the Moderator and four members at large to be appointed by the Moderator. The duties of the committee shall be to plan the programs of the annual Association.

6. *Committee on Committees.* This committee shall be appointed by the Moderator to serve for a period of one year and shall be composed of five members whose duties shall be to recommend the appointment of the standing committees and to name any other committees called for by the Association, such as, Associational Missions, Associational Membership, Obituary Committee, Committee on Public Morals and Civic Righteousness, Finance Committee, Radio and Television Committee, Committee on Time, Place and Preacher, Committee on Resolutions, Nominating Committee, Music Committee, and the representatives of the various boards and institutions supported by the North Carolina Baptist Convention.

7. *Obituary Committee.* The Obituary Committee shall conduct a brief service at the annual meeting of our Association in memory of those members from the various churches who have been called to their heavenly home.

8. *Committee on Public Morals and Civic Righteousness.* The duties of this committee shall be to inform themselves as to the moral conditions and practices in our midst, to study these conditions, to use their influence to promote high ethical standards of life and conduct on the part of our people, and to give a report of their work at the annual meeting of the Association.

9. *Radio and Television Committee.* It shall be the duty of this committee to give encouragement to the local radio and television stations in the use they are now making of their facilities in broadcasting morning devotions, the broadcast and telecast of the programs of the Radio-Television Commission of Southern Baptists, and other desirable programs of a religious nature. This committee shall further seek to enlist the cooperation of these stations when special efforts are underway on an Associational-wide basis, to the end that our Baptist work might be duly publicized and brought to the attention of the people of our country. A report of this committee's work shall be given at the annual Associational meeting.

10. *Committee on Time, Place, and Preacher.* This committee shall recommend the meeting place for our annual Association, state the time, and recommend a minister and an alternate for the annual sermon. This shall be reported to the Association in annual session.

11. *Committee on Resolutions.* It shall be the duty of this committee to draw up suitable resolutions relating to the hospitality of the host church or churches, the service rendered by the visiting speakers, the work of the Associational Officers, and other pertinent matters that should be included in this committee's report.

12. *The Nominating Committee.* It shall be the duty of this committee to recommend to the Annual Session of the Association prospective officers for the coming year as provided for under Section IV of the Constitution, including Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Associate Clerk and Statistician, Treasurer, Chorister, and Pianist. The heads of organizations (Sunday School, Brotherhood, Training Union, Music, and Women's Missionary Union) shall be recommended for election at the April meeting of the Executive-Promotion Committee. Other organizational leadership shall be nominated in cooperation with the organizational heads and recommended, for election, to the July meeting of the Executive-Promotion Committee. W. M. U. Officers will be suggested to the Nominating Committee in keeping with the W. M. U. By-Laws.

13. *Music Committee.* This committee shall offer suggestions and guidance in the selection of the type of music that is desirable in worship and in our varied Associational and church activities. It shall plan, at such times as seem opportune, for a week of instruction in church music, and also seek as it has opportunity, to encourage all of our people to manifest a greater interest in this vital phase of our Lord's work.

14. *Camp Development Committee.* This committee shall have general supervision of the Associational camp which is located in the eastern part of Rowan County. It shall inform our people about the scheduled activities and opportunities offered at the camp and also of the rules and regulations that are to govern its use. The above committee shall promote the use of this camp to the end that it may serve a high and worthwhile purpose as a center for Christian activities by all departments of the Associational program. Only such activities as tend toward the development of Christian character shall be encouraged by the committee.

15. *Historical Committee.* This committee shall be composed of three members elected by the Association. The duties of this committee shall be to adequately preserve the records of the activity within the Association that may be of interest to further generations.

16. *Evangelism Committee.* This committee shall be composed of five members elected by the Association and shall head the Association in a program of New Testament Evangelism in cooperation with the North Carolina Baptist Convention's Department of Evangelism.

17. *Committee to Study the Constitution and By-Laws.* A committee of three members, elected by the Association shall study the Constitution and By-Laws and make recommendations for changes as needed.

18. All of our Churches in the Association are requested to assist the host church(s) in entertaining the Association for the Annual Session.

Proceedings

RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS
OF THE
THIRTY-NINTH ANNUAL SESSION
OF THE
ROWAN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

THEME:

"Spiritual Growth Through Teaching"

SCRIPTURE—2 TIM. 2:2

TUESDAY

MORNING SESSION

1. The Thirty-Ninth Annual Session of the Rowan Baptist Association opened at the First Baptist Church, 223 North Fulton Street, Salisbury, at 9:30 A.M. with the Moderator, Rev. B. Lester Huff, presiding. Mr. Elmer Phipps led the group in singing "All Hail The Power Of Jesus Name" with Mrs. Rudolph Gregory at the organ and Mrs. Earle Blalock at the piano. Dr. J. T. Holland, Pastor of the Milford Hills Baptist Church, Salisbury, led the devotionals. Dr. Holland read from the scriptures using 2 Timothy 2:1-10 and offered prayer. Rev. W. J. Stephenson, host pastor, welcomed the group.

2. Rev. W. J. Stephenson moved that the Messengers now enrolled and those that will enroll constitute the enrollment of Messengers of the Rowan Baptist Association and motion carried. Rev. Ralph Hammett moved that the program as now printed, with any necessary changes, constitute the order of business.

3. James L. McCoy, Clerk, was recognized and gave the report of the Executive-Promotion Committee and Digest of Church Letters. Motion carried for adoption of this report.

REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE-PROMOTION COMMITTEE

The Rowan Baptist Executive-Promotion Committee met four times the past Associational Year.

The January 1966 meeting was held at the First Baptist Church, Salisbury. The Moderator announced the appointment of the following to serve on the Associational Parsonage Committee: Mr.

Graham Carlton, General Chairman, Mr. R. M. Gregory, Building Chairman, Dr. Clyde D. Chapman, Finances, Mrs. J. C. Scruggs, Mrs. Carl Brown. Action was taken to reduce the quorum for the Executive-Promotion Committee from twenty-five to fifteen, inasmuch as there had been some difficulty in reaching the prior quorum established by the Executive-Promotion Committee and approved at the January 19, 1965 quarterly meeting.

The second regular quarterly meeting of the new year was held on April 26, 1966 at the First Baptist Church, Salisbury. The Executive-Promotion Committee approved a Directing Committee for the School of Missions for the Rowan Association, with Rev. John Carter to serve as Chairman, the Officers of the Association and the heads of the departments to serve on the Committee. The Committee was asked to direct the school including the finances.

The third quarterly meeting was held on July 19, 1966 at the First Baptist Church, Salisbury. The proposed budget for the Rowan Baptist Association for the year 1966-67 was presented by Mr. Charles Summers, Associational Treasurer, and adopted by the Executive-Promotion Committee. Approval was given for application to the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina for $840.00 aid for Associational Missions.

The final meeting of the Executive-Promotion Committee for the Associational Year was held on October 18, 1966 at the First Baptist Church, Salisbury. Authority was granted the Moderator to appoint a committee to study the Constitution of the Rowan Baptist Association, and the following were appointed: Rev. Hayden Cartner, Rev. Ira Warren, Mrs. J. C. Scruggs, Rev. John Carter. The Moderator is to serve as ex-officio member. The final meeting of the Executive-Promotion Committee for the Associational Year adjourned with prayer by Rev. Hayden Cartner.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES L. McCOY, Clerk

4. Dr. James Bulman was recognized and gave the Associational Membership Committee report. This report was accepted.

REPORT OF ASSOCIATIONAL MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE

In the past associational year, no church applied for admission into the fellowship of the Association.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES BULMAN, Chairman
PAUL BARBER
HAROLD MASON

5. Rev. Hayden Cartner was recognized and brought a report from the Committee to study the Constitution. The committee's recommendation for revision of Article 12 of the By-Laws was adopted by the body. The following visitors were recognized: Rev. Guy Cain, Raleigh, N. C.; Mr. Worth Bridges, Gardner-Webb College; Rev. Burris, Hickory, N. C. Rev. John Carter, Associational Missionary, recognized the pastors moving into the Rowan Association since the last annual meeting, these being: Rev. Ronald McSwain, Dunn's Mountain Church, (Rev. McSwain's status changed from Supply Pastor to Regular Pastor); Dr. J. T. Holland, Milford Hills Church; Rev. Horace Moree, West Corinth Church; Rev. Jack Thomas, Wyatts Grove Church. Rev. Carter extended words of welcome to these brethren. The group was led by Mr. Elmer Phipps in singing "O For a Thousand Tongues." There were 134 Messengers and 41 Visitors registered at this time for a total of 175.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE TO STUDY CONSTITUTION

By-Laws — Article 12

The Nominating Committee—

Present Reading—It shall be the duty of this committee to recommend to the annual session of the Association prospective officers for the coming year, including Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Associate Clerk and Statistician, Treasurer, Chorister, Pianist, and others who are to be included with the Associational Officers as provided for under Section IV of the Constitution.

Recommended Reading—It shall be the duty of this committee to recommend to the annual session of the Association prospective officers for the coming year as provided for under the Section IV of the Constitution, including Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Associate Clerk and Statistician, Treasurer, Chorister, and Pianist.

The heads of organizations (Sunday School, Brotherhood, Training Union, Music and Women's Missionary Union) shall be recommended for election at the April Meeting of the Executive Promotion Committee. Other organizational leadership shall be nominated in cooperation with the organizational heads and recommended, for election, to the July meeting of the Executive Promotion Committee.

W.M.U. Officers will be suggested to the nominating committee in keeping with the W.M.U. By-Laws.

Respectfully submitted,
HAYDEN M. CARTNER, Chairman
MRS. J. C. SCRUGGS
WILLIAM IRA WARREN

6. Rev. Guy Cain was recognized and made remarks regarding Ministers Retirement. Rev. Cain urged all of the churches to participate in this program with special attention paid to the amount used as a basis for retirement.

7. Rev. Ralph Hammett was recognized as Chairman of the Time, Place and Preacher Committee and requested that any church desiring to have the Association meet with them for the next annual meeting please contact him.

8. Mr. Charles Summers was recognized and gave the Financial report. Motion for adoption of the report carried. (Note: Proposed Budget for the fiscal year 1966-67 approved by the Executive-Promotion Committee on July 19, 1966 is included as a part of the annual minutes.)

ROWAN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION: FINANCIAL REPORT

Ending September 30, 1966

RECEIPTS

Calvary	$ 500.00
Canaan	231.62
China Grove, First	514.91
China Grove, South	200.04
Cooleemee, First	605.44
Community	
Dunn's Mountain	500.00
East Corinth	279.62
East Spencer, First	110.00
Eastside	60.00
Emmanuel	306.61
Enon	399.96
Faith	462.60
Gold Hill	30.00
Grace	25.00
Landis	330.00
Milford Hills	50.00
Needmore	128.00
North Main	375.00
Oakdale	540.00
Pine Ridge	452.00
Providence	20.00
Rockwell	120.00
Rowan Mills	100.00
Salisbury, First	1,500.00
Southside	
Spencer, First	675.00
Stallings Memorial	1,200.00
Trading Ford	540.00
Trinity	300.00
West Corinth	416.11
Corriher Heights	
West Park	5.00
Wyatts Grove	30.00
Yadkin	331.50
Franklin Mission	96.00
Oakland Heights Mission	
State Convention	840.00
Missionary Supply	55.00
Study Course Books	40.80
Designated Parsonage:	
East Corinth	42.13
Calvary	25.00
Total	$12,447.34

TOTALS REPORTED AT LAST ANNUAL MEETING

Receipts	$13,490.14
(Including $2,000.00 for Sale of lot)	
Disbursements	$13,853.68
(Including $2,000.00 to B & L from sale of lot)	
Balance Sept. 30, 1965	$ 1,037.34

DISBURSEMENTS

Missionary:	
Salary	$ 4,681.00
Utilities	680.00
Car Expense	840.00
Parsonage Rent	624.00
Telephone	117.28
Convention Expense	215.50
Retirement	400.08
Office Supplies	197.28
Postage	180.00
Clerk's Fee	150.00
Assistant Clerk	150.00
Brotherhood	55.95
Music School	50.13
Study Course Books	40.58
Parsonage:	
Designated	67.13
Budgeted	1,200.00
From General Fund	1,500.00
Treasurer's Fee	75.00
Sunday School	38.56
Printing Minutes and Calendars	845.26
Baptist Student Union	50.00
Training Union	60.00
Missionary Christmas	100.00
Annual Meeting	56.00
Total	$12,373.75

SUMMARY

Balance at start of period	$ 1,037.34
Receipts	12,447.34
Total Available	$13,484.68
Disbursements	12,373.75
Balance as of Sept. 30, 1966	$ 1,110.93
Total Parsonage Fund	15,174.42
Total Camp Fund	1,980.00
Grand Total All Funds	$18,265.35
Wachovia Bank & Trust Co.	$ 1,110.93
Home Savings & Loan	7,220.49
Citizens Savings & Loan	9,933.93
Total on Deposit	$18,265.35

TOTAL IN SAVINGS A YEAR AGO

Home Savings and Loan	
Parsonage	$ 4,250.00
Camp	1,980.00
Citizens Savings & Loan	
Parsonage	7,543.73

REPORT OF BUDGET COMMITTEE

PROPOSED BUDGET: 66-67

PERSONNEL

Missionary Salary	$ 4,940.00
Utilities	680.00
Car Allowance	840.00
Retirement	400.08
Denominational Meetings	300.00
Clerk	200.00
Assistant Clerk	150.00
Treasurer	125.00
Personnel Total	$ 7,635.08

OFFICE SUPPLIES & PRINTING

House Rent	$ 624.00
Telephone	150.00
Minutes — Calendars — Annual Programs	900.00
Office Supplies	350.00
Postage	225.00
Total Supplies and Printing	$ 2,249.00

ORGANIZATIONAL PROMOTION

Baptist Student Union, Catawba College	$ 200.00
Sunday School	125.00
Training Union	125.00
Brotherhood	125.00
Visual Aids	50.00
Long Range Program (Schools of Missions: 1967 School of Music: 1966)	500.00
Total Organizational Promotion	$ 1,125.00

MISCELLANEOUS

Incidentals	$ 120.00
Christmas Gift for Missionary	100.00
Miscellaneous Totals	$ 220.00

ASSOCIATIONAL PROJECT

Associational Parsonage	$ 1,800.00
Grand Total of Budget	$13,029.08

Suggested Monthly Goals for Churches based on membership:*

(1) Under 100 Members ..... $.10
100-499 Members ..... $.12
500-999 Members ..... $.14
1,000 and above Members ..... $.16
*Some churches prefer to give a percentage of Regular Offerings; therefore the following suggested goal, percent wise.

(2) 2% of Regular Offerings.

9. Mr. Quentin Pereault, Western Area Director of B.S.U. for the state, was recognized and presented Miss Linda Brown who made some remarks relative to the B.S.U. work at Catawba College. Motion carried for acceptance of this oral report.

10. Dr. Clyde Chapman was recognized and brought the report on Seminary Extension. Dr. Chapman expressed his appreciation for the interest shown in this work during the past year, and presented Mr. Worth Bridges, Director of Counseling, Gardner-Webb College, who brought information from the college. Mr. Bridges stated that 1971 should produce the first graduate as a four-year college. Motion carried for adoption of the Seminary Extension report.

SEMINARY EXTENSION

The Rowan Seminary Extension Department offered a course in Old Testament 151 this fall. This has been a study of the exegesis and exposition of the Book of Amos. Although primarily designed for ministers, we were delighted to have three of our good ladies and one fine layman enrolled. Our enrollment consisted of eleven ministers, three ladies and one layman. We trust that the ministers will promote our Seminary Extension work in the local churches so that next year we may offer a larger variety of courses and reach more of the people in our churches.

Respectfully submitted,
CLYDE D. CHAPMAN

11. Rev. Ben Fisher of Raleigh, N. C. was recognized and brought a message on "Teaching Through Higher Education." Rev. Fisher stated that Baptists have three basic areas of teaching: the home, local church, and colleges and institutions. Teaching must begin in the home. The speaker further stated that the main problem is not finances, the teacher problem, or denominational relationship, but the problem of purpose—what are we educating for? The challenge of the Christian teacher is to help a young person develop a Christian purpose and a true sense of values.

12. Mrs. Earl Blalock was recognized and gave the Historical Commission report. Motion carried for adoption of this report.

HISTORICAL REPORT FOR ROWAN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION 1966

"Come into my heart, Lord Jesus,
There is room in my heart for Thee."

Our wonderful group of thirty-five (35) churches and two (2) missions in Rowan Baptist Association have had a busy and

fruitful year among our eleven thousand nine hundred seventy-two (11,972) members.

Churches all around are remodeling, redecorating, planning better facilities to serve more people and adding lovely new musical instruments, landscaping property and building comfortable houses for our pastors.

This moving forward means we are preparing to better meet the needs of newcomers to our city and community, and to educate and train our young people. Our great potential is a challenge to each church.

Yet, with all our potential, we still have ten (10) churches that have neither Training Union or Brotherhood. Of these ten (10) churches, two have no W.M.U. organizations. In Southern Missionary Baptist Churches this should not be.

We are thrilled with the W.M.U. in most churches. The mission offering surpassed the goal. Also prayer retreats, leadership studies, mission study books and general learning and programs have marked our progress as gratifying. Yet, not enough of our women belong to our circles. However, many of our ladies are tithers. In many of our churches the women are busy with mission training for our young people through the various organizations: Sunbeam, Girls Auxiliary, Young Women Auxiliary.

We have had three hundred twenty-five (325) baptisms this year. We have shown gains in the W.M.S. which now has an enrollment of two thousand four hundred twenty (2,420). The Brotherhood also has shown some gains with a present enrollment of seven hundred fifty-six (756). Yet some of our churches are not giving to the Cooperative Program.

The Rowan Baptist Association sponsored a Music Clinic at First Baptist Church, Salisbury in September. Mr. Joe Stroud taught a class for adults using "Christian Hymnody" as the book. Mrs. E. H. Potts taught the intermediate training book "Sight Singing." The clinic lasted for four days and was an inspiring help.

ACTIVITIES AMONG THE CHURCHES:

CANAAN: Has remodeled their church and done general beautification of property.

CALVARY: Has dedicated a lovely and imposing Fellowship Hall this year.

COOLEEMEE, FIRST: Are now occupying a new pastorium - they are helping a church in North Dakota.

DUNNS MT.: The Rev. Mr. Ronald McSwain, who was the interim pastor after the Rev. Mr. John Simpson resigned and moved away, was called as pastor February 13, 1966.

EAST CORNITH: One of our lovely rural churches, constituted in 1867, will celebrate their one hundredth anniversary this year. They are doing many things to make the church and grounds more beautiful. This celebration will be a real red carpet occasion. The Rev. Mr. Joe King is their young and enthusiastic pastor.

EASTSIDE: Has insulated the church and painted it outside. Made a driveway and parking area. Carpeted the pulpit area and added four (4) pews. This church has ordained two new deacons - dedicated the baptistry, and raised the pastor's salary.

FRANKLIN: Had their first G.A. Coronation Service. The Rev. Mr. Herman Absher, who had been with the Franklin Church since 1961, resigned to accept the pastorate of Lamberth Baptist Church near Roxboro, North Carolina. He began his new work August 21, 1966.

GOLD HILL: Has put new roof on pastorium and church. Has purchased new pulpit furniture. They were given an organ in memory of Mr. Lloyd Wade.

MILFORD HILLS: Called Dr. J. T. Holland, Jr. for their pastor - April 1, 1966. Since his coming fifty-three (53) new members have been added to the church, many fruitful changes in the organization have taken place. The pastor and family have moved into a lovely new seven room pastorium located on East Colonial Drive in a lovely wooded setting.

First Church, Salisbury, presented to them the deed to the church property when they celebrated their eleventh anniversary this fall.

NORTH MAIN: Has painted their educational property - and done much to add beauty to the surroundings. They have completed the pastorium and moved their pastor and family into the new home.

SALISBURY, FIRST: Honored their pastor at a lovely party on Sunday night, July 31, at the close of the regular service, commemorating ten years of service. The Rev. Mr. Stephenson began his work at First Church July 27, 1956. At this "Happy 10th" party he was presented a substantial check in appreciation of his fine service among us.

Salisbury, First deeply regrets the loss of Rev. Mr. Henry Finch, Jr. who accepted a call to First Church, Asheville,

North Carolina. He will be Assistant Pastor in charge of Youth Work. He began his work in Asheville September 1, after four (4) years of devoted and rewarding work among our people as Assistant Pastor.

Salisbury, First has purchased a five (5) acre tract of land at Neel Road and Moorseville Highway to begin a new mission. This will be the fifth church to be sponsored by the mother church - Stallings, North Main, Immanuel, Milford Hills. The plans are to begin the new mission very soon.

This church had a Presentation Service for our G.A.'s.

In September of 1966 a family night program on Wednesday evenings was begun. These meetings include supper each week and all the meetings of the church on Wednesdays between 5 and 8 P.M. Participation has been excellent, averaging approximately 250 persons each week.

CHINA GROVE, FIRST: A Family night on Wednesdays has been inaugurated.

STALLINGS: Has purchased the Kirk property which is on the north side of the church. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Summers recently gave the church a lovely Grand piano for the sanctuary. Has added a passenger elevator in their educational plant.
Had a Coronation Service for G.A.

TRADING FORD: Has completed and is occupying two new nurseries.

NEW PASTORS

COMMUNITY CHURCH: Has called Rev. Mr. Larry Linker

WEST CORINTH: Has called the Rev. Mr. Horace Moree

WYATTS GROVE: Has called the Rev. Mr. Jack Thomas

OAKLAND HEIGHTS: (formerly Crusade Mission) has called the Rev. Mr. Richard Peek of Lowell, N. C. Mr. Peek is in his last year at Fruitland.

FOUR CHURCHES WITHOUT PASTORS

ENON: The Rev. and Mrs. Charles Allard left this church to become our missionaries to Brazil. The interim pastor at Enon is Dr. Robert Dyer, 1415 Penn Haven Road, Winston-Salem, N. C.

FRANKLIN: Interim pastor is the Rev. Mr. Carl Kincaid, 102 Newton St., Spencer, N. C.

PINE RIDGE: Interim pastor is the Rev. Mr. Aaron Barber of 2209 Woodlawn, Kannapolis, N. C.

SOUTHSIDE: Interim pastor, the Rev. Mr. R. N. Huneycutt, Miller Ferry Road, Salisbury, N. C.

Let us thank God for what we have accomplished, and realize what we can do and ask God to help us know how to get it done!

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGIA BLALOCK
Historian, Rowan Baptist Asso.
October 25, 1966

13. Mr. C. Gordon Maddrey was recognized and spoke on the Baptist Foundation. Mr. Maddrey offered his assistance to any in the Association who may need his help. Mr. Quentin Pereault was again recognized and requested prayers and support for the B.S.U. work. Rev. W. J. Stephenson made announcement regarding the noon meal. Mr. Elmer Phipps led in the singing of "O Worship The King." Mr. Phipps then rendered a solo "How Great Thou Art".

14. The Moderator presented Rev. John Carter who brought the annual sermon, using John 20:19 as a basis. Rev. Carter stated that there is a tendency to not recognize the minister as a God-called man. We see the needs of the world, but only "take our pictures", and in most cases go on our way and do nothing. The challenge was made to allow the living God to become our Lord. God travels with those today who trust Him. Prayer was offered and the meeting adjourned for the noon meal.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

1:30 P. M.

15. The afternoon session opened with Rev. B. Lester Huff, Moderator, presiding. Mr. Elmer Phipps led the group in singing "To God Be The Glory." Rev. Jack Thomas, pastor of the Wyatt's Grove Church, was recognized and led the devotionals using 2 Corinthians 4. Rev. Thomas offered prayer.

16. Mrs. J. M. Gupton was recognized and conducted the "In Memorium" period. The group stood for the roll call of those

who had departed this life during the past year. Rev. R. N. Huneycutt offered prayer. Motion carried for inclusion of report in the annual minutes.

IN MEMORIUM

Death is the putting off of a garment-the moving out of a tabernacle.

"For we know that if our earthly house of this tabernacle were dissolved, we have a building of God, an house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens." (2 Cor. 5:2)

Death is gain to the believer.

"I saw and beheld a great multitude which no man could number, out of every nation and of all tribes, and peoples, and tongues, standing before the throne and before the Lamb." (Rev. 7:9)

GUEST OF GOD

"From the dust of the weary highway,
  From the smart of sorrow's rod,
Into the royal presence,
  They are bidden as guest of God,
The veil from their eyes is taken,
  Sweet mysteries they are shown,
Their doubts and fears are over,
  For they know as they are known.

"For them there should be rejoicing
  For them, the festal array,
As for the bride in her beauty
  Whom love hath taken away;
Sweet hours of peaceful waiting,
  Till the path that we have trod
Shall end at the Father's gateway,
  And we are the guests of God."

Selected

OUR BELOVED DEAD

CALVARY: Mr. W. F. Quillman, Mrs. Ada W. Evans, Mr. I. F. Jacobs, and Mrs. Thomas Mock.

CANAAN: Mrs. Sarah Hill.

CHINA GROVE, FIRST: Mrs. T. B. Abernathy, Mr. J. C. Aycock, and Mrs. Edna Evers.

CHINA GROVE, SOUTH: Mr. J. C. Riggins and Mr. Travis Carpenter.

COMMUNITY: Mrs. Fronie Helms.

COOLEEMEE, FIRST: Mrs. J. L. Wofford and Mr. Quentin Steele.

DUNNS MOUNTAIN: Mrs. J. N. Ryan, Mr. C. M. Miller, Sr., and Mrs. Glenn Lefler.

EAST CORINTH: Mr. Fred N. Morgan (Deacon) and Mrs. Mary Rowland.

EAST SPENCER, FIRST: Mr. W. W. Pepper, Mrs. W. W. Pepper, and Mrs. Rufus Hix.

EMMANUEL: Mrs. Peggy Tucker DeKalb.

ENON: Mr. Ernest Young, Mrs. J. D. Eller, and Mr. G. L. Shoaf.

FAITH: Mr. J. A. Gardner, Mr. Carl J. Brown, Mr. Edward McBride, and Mr. Mike Keller.

GOLD HILL: Mr. Lloyd Wade, Mr. Roy Hatchell, and Mrs. J. L. Brewer.

GRACE: Mrs. Millie Shillings.

LANDIS: Miss Jean Hastings, Mrs. M. L. Hampton, Mrs. W. A. James, Mr. Howard Hoffman, Mrs. Ina Mae Hoffman, and Mrs. Bulah Ervin.

NEEDMORE: Mr. Marion Taylor.

NORTH MAIN: Mr. J. H. Stallings, and Mrs. N. K. (Gussie) Cashwell.

OAKDALE: Mr. W. F. Sides, Mr. Webster Loflin, and Mrs. J. L. Wyatt.

PINE RIDGE: Mrs. Eunice Mason.

ROCKWELL: Mrs. Jim Eller and Mr. J. O. Elliott.

ROWAN MILLS: Mr. D. C. Simmons, Mr. Shell Paxton, Mrs. T. J. Linebarger, Mrs. Ila McGuirt, and Mrs. H. H. Hodgson.

SALISBURY, FIRST: Mrs. R. C. Beasley, Mr. W. T. Frost, Sr., Mrs. J. R. Hartlege, Sr., Mr. D. A. Marlow, Mrs. W. L. Perkins, and Mr. J. O. Wright.

SOUTHSIDE: Miss Gail Buelin.

SPENCER, FIRST: Mrs. R. R. Chapman, Mr. Glenn Ward, and Mrs. Richard Page.

STALLINGS MEMORIAL: Mr. H. B. Dedmon, Sr., Mrs. A. A. McCormick, Mrs. F. J. Eller, Mr. B. B. Smith, Mrs. B. B. Smith, Mrs. B. A. Meredith, Mr. Chas. B. Bolden, Mrs. F. D. Hayworth, Mrs. J. S. Overcash, and Mr. T. F. Jordan.

TRADING FORD: Mrs. Dovie Cox, Mrs. S. P. Leonard, Mrs. I. G. Koontz, Mr. W. C. Lomax, Jr., Mrs. E. E. Miller, Mrs. J. A. Potts, and Mrs. J. H. Holder.

TRINITY: Mrs. Harold Wise and Mrs. J. H. Eller.
WYATTS GROVE: Mrs. John Ketchie.
FRANKLIN MISSION: Mr. Tobias Morgan.

Respectfully,

MRS. J. M. GUPTON, Chairman
MRS. JUNIUS CORRIHER
REV. R. N. HONEYCUTT

17. Mr. James L. McCoy was recognized and gave the Ministers Retirement report for Rev. Carl Shelton who could not be present. Motion carried for adoption.

REPORT OF MINISTERS RETIREMENT

The Annuity Board of the Southern Baptist Convention offers four-fold protection to its participants:

1. **BASIC PROTECTION**—This part of the program has to do with the suggested amount to qualify which is 10% of participants salary. The size of check after retirement depends upon the length of time one was a member and the amount of dues paid in.
2. **VARIABLE ANNUITY PROTECTION**—This part of the program has to do with what a participating member is able to invest above the required amount in the Basic Protection offered. Their investment draws what it earns.
3. **LIFE BENEFIT PLAN**—This part of the program is simply low cost term insurance which gives excellent family protection. The cost is 1% of the participants salary (Expense account and an allotment for pastorium can be included). It affords protection from ten to thirty thousand dollars for death under age 46 with graduated benefits thereafter.
4. **HEALTH BENEFIT PLAN**—The health benefit plan is an all-inclusive program of hospital, surgical and major-medical protection which is offered to pastors and denominational employees and administered through Blue Cross and Blue-Shield. It is non-cancellable and the premiums are collected through the Annuity Board.

Today, all over this great country of ours, many people are reaping the benefits from taking part in this great program. Rev. Guy Cain, who is jointly employed by the N. C. Baptist Convention and the Annuity Board, promotes this program all over

the state and urges all pastors and denominational employees to take part in the services offered. For further information, write the Annuity Board, 511 North Akard, Dallas, Texas 75201, or Rev. Guy Cain, 301 Hillsboro St., Raleigh, N. C. 27600.

Respectfully submitted,

CARL SHELTON

18. Mrs. R. B. Motley was recognized and brought the report on Homes For The Aging. Motion for approval of the report carried.

NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST HOMES FOR THE AGING

1966 ASSOCIATIONAL REPORT

Reflection on the past year of life in our four Baptist Homes for the Aging is a reminder once again of the goodness of the Lord.

During this past year we have ministered to 172 deserving older men and women. All of these have been blessed by the love gifts of North Carolina Baptists, through the Special Day offering, received on the third Sunday of February each year, and through their share in the Cooperative Program. The large majority, at least 85% have benefitted directly from these gifts and have actually been sustained at the point of their financial need.

The Special Day offering for 1966 is at an all time high and looks as if it might be $100,000.00 for the first time. This is very good. We must not forget, however, that, even though there has been a 5% increase in the offering from last year, costs have advanced by 7%.

Nursing care has been of the highest quality, and you would rejoice to know how far our concern and our gifts go in ministering to the needs of the residents.

Perhaps the outstanding paradox in all of our Homes is that the first resident to receive a Medicare card, during this first year of the operation of Medicare, is the oldest resident, who never takes any medication at all and who does not need to see a doctor, or go to the hospital. She is Aunt Fannie Drumwright, who celebrated her 105th birthday in July.

It is anticipated that construction will begin on our fifth Home at Yanceyville during the coming year, and when it is completed, we will be able to minister in all of our Homes to

200 older men and women and relieve, in measure, the terrific pressure of a long waiting list of 170 people.

This ministry of love, in Christ's name, is dependent upon the concern, the love, the prayers, and the increased financial support of North Carolina Baptists.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. R. B. MOTLEY

19. Rev. Marvin Smith was recognized and gave the report on Baptist Hospital. Rev. Smith presented Mr. Richard McKay, Assistant Director of the School of Pastoral Care, Baptist Hospital, Winston-Salem, N. C. Mr. McKay enumerated several departments which render service at the Baptist Hospital, stating that over one million dollars worth of free medical care was given by the Hospital during the past year. Their goal is not health, but salvation of the individual.

BAPTIST HOSPITAL REPORT

Our Baptist Hospital and Medical School are a center of healing for body, mind and spirit, a center of training of medical personnel and Christian workers, and a center of scientific research for the advancement of medical care.

Without a vast amount of medical research, there would be no heart surgery today by which lives are saved in our Baptist Hospital almost every week; and the same would be true of almost every new method of treating us when we are sick. Without schools for the training of doctors, nurses, technicians and others, there soon would be no skilled persons in our hospitals or in our communities to care for us when illness comes. Without a staff of highly trained and experienced specialists and a vast amount of expensive specialized equipment, our Baptist Hospital could not offer the highly skilled medical care which is available to us when serious illness strikes and a fine medical center is needed. Another very important fact is that the skilled medical care of our Hospital is made available to people who need it and cannot pay for it. These important services are the work of our Medical Center in Winston-Salem.

The kind of medical care provided by our Hospital is very expensive, and the Hospital has no choice but to ask full payment of all who can pay. The Hospital has been spending in free care for our people far more than it receives from our Mother's Day Offerings, the Cooperative Progam, and all welfare agencies

combined. This has caused the Hospital to run into debt the past two years and the same has been happening this year. Of course, the Hospital simply cannot continue to operate this way. Medicare is not going to change the situation greatly. Our people need to understand this and to recognize that we are going to have to provide much greater support if the Hospital is to continue to provide free service in the same measure for those who cannot pay for it.

While some of our churches support the Hospital well indeed, most of them could do far more than they have been doing. We want to bring this to your attention, asking you to go back to your church and give this information to your people and help to lead them to give serious consideration to the Hospital's vital ministry and its urgent need.

Respectfully submitted,

MARVIN SMITH

20. Mrs. Hayden Cartner was recognized and moved that the Childrens Home report be approved without reading so as to allow more time for the next speaker. She then made remarks challenging the group to give to the childrens homes. Motion carried for approval of the report.

REPORT OF BAPTIST CHILDREN'S HOMES OF NORTH CAROLINA, INC.

1966

Under the impact of the life, ministry and teachings of Christ and under the leadership of the Holy Spirit, North Carolina Baptists, eighty-one years ago launched a Christian ministry of child care. This has grown considerably and is widely recognized for its qualities of service and pioneering spirit. Sons and daughters of the Children's Homes are scattered throughout the world. They are actively engaged in all walks of life and are making a significant contribution to the uplift of mankind as a result of their early Christian training made possible by North Carolina Baptists and other friends.

As we continue to build upon foundations already laid, special attention is being given certain areas of child care. An already strong program of group care is being strengthened at Mills Home, Kennedy Home and Odum Home. A good degree of progress has been realized in working with emotionally disturbed children at Greer Home in Chapel Hill. The demonstration

Child Development Program for preschool children, conducted on the Mills Home campus, has had an excellent first year of operation. Churches throughout the state are studying the program and facilities preparatory to providing similar services. Prospects are encouraging for a home for children in the western part of the state more adequately to serve the needs of our people who live west of the Blue Ridge Mountains. Constant attention is being given to more effective ways of meeting the highly specialized needs of children coming out of broken and inadequate home situations.

We have a large number of good Christian homes for the care of foster children. More are needed in all sections of the state. Foster homes serve children of all ages and are of particular advantage for some who have special needs. Foster home parents may be of varying ages and circumstances in life. Couples with or without children of their own who have an abundance of love find this to be a challenging and rewarding opportunity of Christian service.

Sincere appreciation is expressed to all who have, in any way, helped to support our child care ministry. We are indeed grateful for increasing income through the Cooperative Program. Last year's Thanksgiving Offering is approaching three hundred fifteen thousand dollars ($315,000.00) and is the largest ever. Special gifts and designations such as the Once-A-Month offering continue to provide a substantial part of our income. Through estate planning and the making of Christian wills an increasing number of individuals and families are investing in present and future generations of boys and girls who are in need of the services of the Baptist Children's Homes. Roger Williams, former pastor of the Mills Home Baptist Church, is devoting full time to working with our Baptist people in this area, and he or other members of our staff will count it a privilege to assist you in exploring this field of Christian stewardship.

We covenant with you to face the future as we have the past; to offer Christian nurture to distressed children in the Name of the Lord Jesus Christ.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. HAYDEN CARTNER

21. The Moderator presented Mr. Orville Scott, Editor of Charity & Children who spoke on the subject of "Teaching Through Social Service." Mr. Scott emphasized the fact that we cannot love Jesus without loving those in need around about us. He called attention to the outstanding services rendered by the Homes For

The Aging and the Baptist Hospital. He further stated that the Childrens Homes are seeking to help children to advance. The speaker challenged the group to help promote the ministry of love in our state. There were 160 Messengers and 43 Visitors registered at this time for a total of 203. Mr. Phipps led as the body sang "I Stand Amazed." Dismissal prayer was offered by Rev. Ira Warren and the afternoon session was adjourned to reconvene Wednesday morning at 9:30 with the Calvary Baptist Church, Route 8, Salisbury, N. C.

WEDNESDAY MORNING
CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH
Route 8, Salisbury
9:30 A. M.

22. Rev. B. Lester Huff, Moderator, called the session to order and Mr. Elmer Phipps led the group in singing "Blessed Assurance." Mrs. James L. McCoy was at the organ and Mrs. Earle Blalock at the piano. Rev. Horace Moree, Pastor of the West Corinth Baptist Church, led the praise and worship period reading the scriptures from Matthew. Rev. Moree offered prayer.

23. Mrs. J. C. Scruggs was recognized and brought the W.M.U. report. Motion carried for adoption.

REPORT OF WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

"Having the everlasting gospel to preach to them that dwell upon the earth, to every nation, and kindred, and tongue, and people." This has been our watchword this year. And in keeping with the Southern Baptist Convention theme, our theme has been "A Church Fulfilling It's Mission Through Proclamation and witness." To proclaim the gospel is to declare what God has done in and through Jesus Christ for the salvation of man.

As we come to the end of another Associational year, and find ourselves looking back, taking stock of how we have used our stewardship of this great and glorious privilege of proclaiming the gospel to every nation, and kindred, and tongue, and people; we find that there are some things which we wish we could have done better. Woman's Missionary Union had a net gain in membership of 35. While we rejoice over even this small gain we are aware that there are yet many women and young people in all of our churches who are not enlisted in Woman's Missionary Union. There are two churches in our Asso-

ciation which do not have any WMU organizations. These things are, of course, a matter of great concern to us.

Woman's Missionary Union seeks to implement it's work through a program of Mission Study, Community Missions, Stewardship, Prayer and Educating Youth in Missions. It is encouraging to see an increasing number of our members reading missionary books and periodicals, and to learn that many of our organizations are teaching additional books above the basic requirements of two each year.

At our Executive Council meeting Monday, our Director of Prayer reported that almost all of the organizations which had reported were now observing full weeks of prayer for Foreign and Home Missions.

And how our hearts thrilled when we heard yesterday that our total mission gifts had increased over 1965 by $2,966. Now we are aware that our Lottie Moon and Annie Armstrong offerings are taken church-wide in most of our churches; and we rejoice for this, but we do feel that members of Woman's Missionary Union seem to have an increasing awareness and acceptance of our stewardship of possessions.

Our GA work has gone forward in a splendid way this year. And something new was added to our Sunbeam program when we held an associational Day-Camp at Faith park for our eight year olds, or World Friends, as they are called. Our attendance at this camp was not what we had hoped for, but those Sunbeams who attended were thrilled as we went by jet to visits with some of our missionaries in New Mexico, South America and Japan.

We are grateful to all of our associational WMU officers, who, through their dedication and tireless efforts have made this report possible and to our heavenly Father, who has blessed our efforts.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. J. C. SCRUGGS

24. Rev. Virgil Holloway was recognized and gave the report of Baptist Brotherhood work for Mr. Tommy Lanning who could not be present. Motion carried for adoption of report.

THE BROTHERHOOD REPORT

The Rowan Baptist Men's Brotherhood had four associational wide meetings this past associational year. One of these meetings

was a joint meeting with the R.A.'s. All of these meetings proved to be a success. There was also one rally held for the R.A.'s and a day camp one day at the Sunbeam Lodge.

The scope of the Baptist Men's work is a missionary education and missions promotion through our Baptist churches. The main emphasis is missions.

The tasks of the Baptist Men's work is as follows.

1. Teach missions to all the men of the Baptist church.
2. Lead all the men to participate in mission activities.
3. Provide organization and leadership for special mission projects.
4. Provide and interpret information regarding the mission work of the church and denomination.

The Baptist Men's Organization is simply this: "A fellowship of Baptist men, members of the Baptist church, organized to advance the cause of Christ through a program of missionary education and mission promotion designed to inform, motivate, and involve men in the mission task of their church.

The Baptist Men's work is taking on a new look now, which we hope will get all of our Baptist men more involved in our mission tasks.

Respectfully submitted,

TOMMY LANNING

25. Rev. J. D. Whisnant was recognized and gave the report on Evangelism for Rev. Charles Burchette who could not be present. Motion for adoption carried. Rev. Virgil Holloway offered prayer for the coming conference on evangelism.

ANNUAL ASSOCIATION EVANGELISM REPORT 1966

This seems to be the age of rebellion. People everywhere are rebelling against constituted authority. Rioting mobs cover the streets at night in our large cities, firing guns at random and throwing fire bombs with precision. Lawlessness seems to be the order of the day. Man is bewildered and doped with despair. He searches for the answer but it seems to elude him.

Do we have the answer? We can positively say we do have the answer. God's answer is in New Testament churches, preaching the Gospel of Jesus Christ, preaching both by precept and by example. We must become living epistles, demonstrating Christ's love and power through the working of the Holy Spirit.

God's answer to the critics and persecutors of the Church has been the hot and holy fires of revival. From Pentecost to the last real revival in the local church, God's answer has been conclusive and complete.

Southern Baptists' attention is directed to the Crusade of the Americas in 1969. Twenty-one countries are cooperating in the crusade. We must get ready. Our God is a God of planning and purpose. Now is the time to get every church committed to the crusade date for 1969.

We shall continue with our calendar of evangelism month by month, including our annual simultaneous, individual church, and area revivals.

Submitted by

CHAS. P. BURCHETTE

26. Mr. Graham Carlton was recognized and brought the Missions report. Motion carried for approval. Mr. Elmer Phipps rendered a vocal solo at this time.

MISSIONS COMMITTEE REPORT

Mission work in the Rowan Baptist Association, involving the starting of new churches, is found principally in the Salisbury area. In recent years population has increased in this vicinity and there has developed a need for an expanding Baptist ministry. Accordingly Trading Ford Baptist Church, under the leadership of its pastor Rev. Banks Mullis, has sponsored the Oakland Heights mission which is located in the Southeastern part of Salisbury Township, and Calvary Baptist Church, under the leadership of its pastor Rev. J. D. Whisnant, has sponsored the Franklin Mission which is located on the Mocksville Highway about 2 miles from the north city limits of Salisbury. Both of these missions are showing progress. Neither could have been established without the help of a strong sponsoring church having community missionary interest.

For the past two months Mr. Richard Peek who is now enrolled at Fruitland for Bible Study and who will in the near future graduate from that institution, is serving as pastor at Oakland Heights. This mission is not yet self-supporting but its financial position is improving and all liabilities are on a current basis. The average attendance in Sunday School is between 35 and 40 and new people are being contacted regularly for purposes of increasing the membership. It is expected that under the stabilizing guidance from Trading Ford Baptist Church, Oakland Heights will continue to show progress.

On the other side of Salisbury in the Franklin Community there has been marked growth in population and the Franklin Baptist Mission has been in this area for the past several years. Rev. Herman Absher served the mission well until recently when he received a call from outside the association. At the present time Carl Kincaid is serving as a supply pastor. Sunday School enrollment averages about 130 and approximately 75 are in attendance each Sunday. Training Union has 52 enrolled at the Franklin Mission and an average attendance of about 25. The Franklin Mission enjoys the benefit of an active W.M.U. organization, Brotherhood, GA's, Sunbeams and Royal Ambassadors. Discussions have already been held looking toward the inauguration of the Franklin Mission as a full-fledged Baptist Church and it is expected that within a year or so this will be done.

First Baptist Church of Salisbury continues to demonstrate an interest in the construction of a chapel on the Mooresville Highway at the Neel Estate property. This site is about five miles from the Western Salisbury City Limits and is in an area where many people are building homes in connection with their work at the new Fiber Industries plant and the new Cannon Mills Swink Plant. It is expected that within the next year an official census will be taken in this area under the sponsorship of First Baptist Church and that firm plans will be made for the beginning of a chapel organization on this site in the Western part of the county.

First Baptist Church has several families who live in the immediate area of this proposed site and other members who are willing to work for a time in the beginning of a mission. This coming year should witness specific progress on this mission site.

All of the Baptist Churches in Rowan County should have an awareness of the spiritual needs of people in areas surrounding the respective principal areas served by our Baptist churches. Once a site for a new mission is selected and work is begun then there are available financial assistance and other cooperation from the North Carolina Baptist State Convention as well as from sources within the local Rowan Association. An expanding mission program for the construction of new churches is essential for the spread of the gospel in Rowan County.

Respectfully submitted,

GRAHAM M. CARLTON
Chairman Mission Committee

27. The Moderator presented Chaplain William Haltom who spoke on the subject of "Teaching Through Missions." In his

message, Chaplain Haltom sought to answer the question, what can missions teach us? The speaker stated that basically missions teaches us three things: the Holy Bible is still our authority, people are still lost and need a Saviour, and Christians still need to grow in God's Grace.

28. Rev. Ralph Hammett was recognized and brought the Time, Place and Preacher Committee report. Motion carried for adoption of this report. Rev. W. J. Stephenson moved that the By-Laws of the Rowan Baptist Association be amended to incorporate a paragraph that shall request our churches to assist the host church in entertaining the Association for the annual session, and that the Moderator and Clerk frame this paragraph. Motion carried for approval of this motion.

REPORT OF TIME-PLACE-PREACHER COMMITTEE

We recommend that the time of the meeting will be according to the Constitution which is the first Tuesday and Wednesday after the fourth Sunday in October, which will be October 24 and 25, 1967.

That we accept the invitation of Stallings Memorial to meet with them on the first day, and the invitation of Trinity Church to meet with them the second day.

That Rev. Harold J. Mason preach the annual sermon, and the alternate to be Dr. James M. Bullman.

Respectfully submitted,

RALPH C. HAMMETT, Chairman
MARVIN W. DAMERON
MRS. J. I. LOMAX

29. Rev. Hayden Cartner was recognized and gave the Nominating Committee report. Motion for adoption of report carried. Rev. W. J. Stephenson moved that the nominations cease and that the Clerk be instructed to cast a unanimous ballot for these officers and workers. This motion carried and the Clerk complied.

REPORT OF NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Moderator.....B. Lester Huff
Vice-Moderator.....J. D. Whisnant
Clerk.....James L. McCoy
Associate Clerk & Statistician.....Mrs. James L. McCoy
Treasurer .....Charles Summers
Chorister ..... Elmer Phipps

Pianist ..... Mrs. J. Earle Blalock
Sunday School Superintendent.....Clarence G. Wise
Training Union Director.....Ronald Queen
W.M.U. President.....Mrs. J. C. Scruggs
Director of Baptist Men..... .....Harold G. Henderson
Seminary Extension Director.....Clyde Chapman

Music:

Music Ministry Chairman ..... Mrs. Earle Blalock
Congregational Singing.....Charles Bolden
Graded Choirs.....Mrs. R. M. Gregory, Chm.
Mrs. E. S. Smoot
Director Instrumental Music ..... Mrs. E. H. Potts
Pastor Advisor.....R. O. Brinkley
Promotion.....Miss Patsy Hudson

Trustees.....Graham Carlton, Chairman
A. T. Koontz
Sam May

Respectfully submitted,

R. O. BRINKLEY
MRS. H. M. HOCUTT
REV. KENNETH PAYNE
REV. JOE KING
HAYDEN M. CARTNER

30. Rev. Joe King was recognized and gave the report of the Committee on Committees. Motion for adoption carried with the understanding that a name will be proposed later to replace Mr. W. J. Wishon who has moved away.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES 1966-1967

Missions Committee: Mr. Graham Carlton, Chairman; Mrs. Herman Hood, Mrs. J. C. Scruggs, Mr. R. J. Davis, Mrs. Charles Bolden, and Mr. H. G. Henderson.

Committee On Reception of New Churches: Rev. Harold Mason, Chairman; Rev. Ira Warren, Mr. W. F. Campbell.

Obituary Committee: Mrs. Junius Corriher, Chairman; Mrs. Hayden Cartner, Dr. James Bulman.

Public Morals and Civic Righteousness Committee: Mrs. E. Carr Choate, Chairman; Mrs. J. O. Michael, Rev. Marvin Dameron.

Finance Committee: Mr. James Elium, Chairman; Mr. Charles Summers, Mr. Ed Poe, Dr. J. T. Holland.

Radio and Television Committee: Rev. W. J. Stephenson, Chairman; Rev. Virgil Holloway, Rev. Charles Burchette.

Time, Place and Preacher Committee: Rev. R. O. Brinkley, Chairman; Rev. Ronald McSwain, Mrs. Carl J. Brown.

Resolutions Committee: Mrs. R. W. Coone, Chairman; Mrs. B. Lester Huff, Rev. Gordan Pope.

Nominating Committee: Rev. Hayden Cartner, Chairman; Rev. Henry L. Carroll, Mrs. R. O. Brinkley, Mr. Harold Hamilton, Mrs. R. B. Motley.

Audio Visual Aids Committee: Rev. John Carter, Chairman; Mrs. J. C. Scruggs, Mr. Clarence Wise, Mr. Ronald Queen, Mr. Harold Henderson.

Camp Development Committee: Rev. Joe King, Chairman; Mr. Claude Harwood, Mr. Grady Queen, Dr. Baxter Smith.

Historical Committee: Mrs. Earle Blalock, Chairman; Miss Bessie Carter, Mrs. Charles Hellard.

Evangelism Committee: Rev. Gordon Pope, Chairman; Rev. Horace Moree, Mr. Alvin Morris, Mr. Ruben Hellard, Rev. Banks Mullis.

Seminary Extension Committee: Rev. H. M. Hocutt, Chairman; Rev. Marvin Smith, Rev. Jack Thomas.

REPRESENTATIVES AND MEMBERS OF VARIOUS BOARDS

1. Christian Education ..... Mr. James Davis
2. Children's Home ..... Miss Barbara Sprinkle
3. Home For The Aging ..... Rev. R. N. Huneycutt
4. Christian Literature ..... Mrs. Sid Dibrill
5. Ministers Retirement ..... Rev. Ralph Hammett
6. American Bible Society ..... Rev. C. V. Talbert
7. Baptist Hospital ..... Rev. Harold Parker
8. Baptist Student Union ..... Miss Linda Brown

Respectfully submitted,

JOE KING, Chairman

31. Rev. Ira Warren was recognized and brought the report of the Resolutions Committee. Motion for adoption of this report carried. Mr. Elmer Phipps led in singing "Jesus Saves."

RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE

We, your committee on Resolutions, present the following resolutions for your consideration:

BE IT RESOLVED:

1. That we express our gratitude to the pastor, Rev. W. J. Stephenson, and the members of First Baptist Church, and to the pastor, Rev. J. D. Whisnant and members of Calvary Baptist Church, for their friendly welcome and gracious hospitality as host for the Thirty-ninth Annual Session of the Rowan Baptist Association.

2. That we express our thanks to our Moderator, Rev. B. Lester Huff, the program committee, and to those participating on the program for a well arranged and presented program.

3. That we expess our deep appreciation to Rev. John E. Carter, Superintendent of Missions and Promotion of our association, for the inspiring annual sermon brought to us. And, that we gratefully acknowledge and give thanks to God for his devoted and efficient leadership.

4. That we join in heartfelt thanksgiving to almighty God for the marvelous riches of His grace bestowed upon us and the work of our association during the past year; and that we humbly plead for His blessings to be upon us individually and as an association during the coming year.

5. That we accept the challenge of compassion and concern expressed in our meeting and attempt to translate this feeling in our churches.

Respectfully submitted,

REV. W. IRA WARREN, Chairman
MRS. C. G. WISE
MRS. SAM MAYFIELD

32. The Moderator appointed the following committees:

PROGRAM COMMITTEE—
Dr. J. T. Holland, Dr. Clyde Chapman, Rev. Gordon Pope, Mrs. Clyde Newton, Rev. John Carter

COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES—
Rev. Ralph Hammett, Mrs. J. C. Scruggs, Rev. Virgil Holloway, Rev. Marvin Smith, Mrs. J. M. Gupton, Rev. John Carter

33. Rev. H. M. Hocutt was recognized and gave the report on Christian Literature. Motion carried for approval of report. Rev. Hocutt called attention to our need to replace the sordid and impure with clean and wholesome literature. He stated that there is a vital need today for Christian literature.

REPORT ON CHRISTIAN LITERATURE

The music that people sing and the literature that people read have a definite influence on their behavior and thus help to determine the kind of society they build. This being true, any discussion or report on Christian literature is a matter of prime importance. We need the best of literature in all our homes that our people may have wholesome reading material that will be up-lifting and inspiring in thought, and we need literature that will keep us informed and help us to understand current trends and developments. We need to be kept alert about the activities of evil forces and how we can best combat them, and we need to be kept informed about all agencies and programs of our denomination. All of this and more speaks clearly of the need for Christian literature.

We are happy to report that this need is provided for. The best of literature available is as close as one's mailbox. To mention just a few periodicals, we call attention to our BIBLICAL RECORDER, our Baptist state paper; CHARITY AND CHILDREN, published by our Children's Homes; the COMMISSION, published by our Foreign Mission Board; and HOME MISSIONS, published by our Home Mission Board. All of these and many others are excellent periodicals, and we need them in our homes.

As good as these periodicals are, they are of no value unless we get them into the homes of our people. We encourage all our churches to take advantage of club and every member plans to increase the circulation of these periodicals, and we encourage all our people to read them to the end that we may be better informed and thus be better members of our churches and better servants of our Lord.

Respectfully submitted,

H. M. HOCUTT

34. Rev. Mahlon Furr was recognized and gave the American Bible Society report which was approved by the body.

THE AMERCAN BIBLE SOCIETY REPORT

The American Bible Society was founded in 1816. We are observing its 150th anniversary. The American Bible Society has the aim of putting the word of God in the hands and hearts of as many people as possible, some parts of the Bible has been published in 1,250 languages. Eighteen more languages than a year ago. The full Bible has been published in 237 languages. The whole testament has been published in 297 languages. At least

a complete gospel or other book has been published in 716 languages. Which is a total of 1,250 languages.

In year 1965 the American Bible Society distributed 54 million copies of scripture. (Since 1816 the American Bible Society has distributed more than 750 million copies of scripture . . . An amount equal to one quarter of the total population of the world today. The vast majority of these were printed in either English or Spanish).

(More than 745,000 copies of scriptures were distributed to troops at home and overseas during 1965).

(For the blind, the American Bible Society supplies scriptures in braille and other raised letter systems, talking bible records, and tape recordings).

(In 1965 the American Bible Society distributed 28,088,126 scriptures OVERSEAS).

In the United States 25,953,888 scriptures were distributed, a total of 54,042,014 scriptures distributed.

In 1965 the Southern Baptist Convention gave $226,731.10 for the American Bible Society support.

The Baptist gave more than any other denomination.

The Bible Society serves mission work. Southern Baptist Missionaries depend on the society for scriptures they need for their people.

May each church, and each person give that we may promote this worthy cause.

Respectfully submitted,

MAHLON FURR

35. Rev. W. J. Stephenson was recognized and brought the report on Radio and Television. Motion was made that the report be adopted and incorporated in the annual minutes. Upon proper second, the motion carried. Rev. Stephenson spoke to the report.

RADIO AND TELEVISION REPORT

Southern Baptist programs were broadcast on an all-time high number of radio and television stations throughout the world in 1965. The 21 programs produced and distributed last year by the Commission showed a net gain of 453 stations during the year, not including the Armed Forces Radio-TV Network of 238 stations which scheduled a selection of programs during the year.

Programs produced for the denomination by the Radio-TV Commission were being used weekly on 2389 outlets at the end of the year. In a four year span, from 1962 through 1965, there

was a 70.7 per cent increase in the number of stations broadcasting Southern Baptist programs produced by the Commission.

The new international Communications Center into which the agency moved on July 26, 1965, made possible an internal reorganization of the agency within the framework of its program structure, approved by the Southern Baptist Convention in 1961.

Reflecting the severe restrictions of space in which the agency had worked for more than a decade, the staff was expanded by 25 within a few weeks.

PROGRAM REPORT

1. A Program of Preaching On Radio and Television

While the trend among broadcasters in general seems to be away from religious programming, the Southern Baptist message is being heard on more stations by more people in more ways than ever before.

Southern Baptist programs received 7½ hours in time on the three television networks—the equivalent of 15 half hour programs—in 1965. Among these was *The Inheritance,* hour-long special produced jointly with the National Broadcasting Co., which documented the beginnings of the Christian faith through the Biblical archaeology of five countries. It brought the largest response to any single TV exposure Southern Baptists ever had—about 10,000 letters. It is now available to churches.

During the spring of 1966, representatives of the Radio-TV Commission joined NBC-TV in filming in color a third one-hour special, this one on the Life of Christ. It will be telecast in the spring of 1967.

Of the 13 half-hour productions released on *The Answer* series for 1966, 12 were new productions. TV rights were purchased from Family Films for six dramas and the Commission produced two. Production on 1967 Answer episodes was to take place during the spring and summer of 1966. A Commission camera crew spent six weeks in Switzerland and Spain filming the story of Baptist missions in action in those countries.

During 1965 the radio department duplicated 120,000 tapes for all purposes—domestic broadcast, overseas programs, and convention tape packages. Thirteen programs were produced each week for domestic use and eight in other languages for foreign use.

2. A Program of Audience Building

State Baptist papers have provided space for the regular listing

of Southern Baptist programs throughout the year and assisted greatly in providing audience within the denomination.

Direct mail has proved most effective through the years for reaching the largest number of people at the lowest cost. The Commission does virtually all of its own printing and by selective use of the mail can inform potential audiences with best economy.

The Beam, the Commission's monthly magazine, has served well in telling the story of the agency to large numbers of people who work in the broadcast industry, as well as to pastors and laymen of the Southern Baptist Convention. At the end of the year circulation stood at 30,000. The Spanish version of *The Beam* (*Senales*) is being mailed quarterly to 5000 readers in South America, and other language versions of the publication are in the planning stages.

Christian Home Music is another facet of audience building which is destined to grow with the addition of a director of program music to the staff. Miss Joe Ann Shelton joined the agency full time in this capacity in mid-1965, after having served on a part-time basis for several years as Baptist Hour Choir director and soloist.

3. A Program of Inquiry and Counseling

Close cooperation with the Seminary Extension Department and Dr. Ralph Herring, director of SED, in the adaptation of existing course material has provided Southern Baptists with what is thought to be the first Radio Bible Correspondence Course with seminary credit available.

4. A Program of Technical Assistance

Requests have increased annually from all over the world for technical assistance of various kinds. Most often they come from pastors or missionaries who need program material, ideas for a local opportunity on radio/TV, how to plan for radio/TV areas and equipment in a new church building, etc. In addition, news programs for state Baptist conventions were started during the year for Arkansas and Tennessee.

Respectfully submitted,
W. J. STEPHENSON

36. Mr. Gerald Herrin was recognized and gave the report on the Cooperative Program. Mr. Herrin related the experience of his church in setting Cooperative Program goals and the formula they used in accomplishing this. Motion for adoption of report carried. Rev. J. D. Whisnant, Host Pastor, extended words of welcome and gave instructions relative to the noon meal. The

Moderator requested that the group be counted. According to count, 155 were present. The Clerk reported that there were 182 Messengers and 59 Visitors registered up to this time for a total of 241.

COOPERATIVE PROGRAM REPORT - 1966

A pressing need of each church in our association is an undergirding of the Cooperative Program with prayer. Information on the world wide missionary work carried on through the Cooperative Program will form a basis by which your church can pray with knowledge and zeal.

Would you feed a hungry child or feeble aged person? Would you help save the life of a dying person? Would you help a person dying of spiritual hunger? You do all these things through the Cooperative Program.

The Cooperative Program makes possible Foreign, Home and State Missions through which over 6,000 missionaries baptized over 40,000 people and started an average of more than two new churches per day during the year.

The Cooperative Program trains capable leaders. You are helping train leaders for God in 1,140 foreign, home and state Christian schools where more than 260,000 pupils are in attendance.

Through the Cooperative Program we help support 65 Baptist hospitals and 56 clinics in foreign countries and the United States where more than 900,000 patients are treated annually. Eight thousand homeless children and 1,200 elderly people are provided a home, food, clothing, and other necessities of life in 55 orphanages and homes for the aging throughout the world.

We are making progress in our concern for those Jesus came to seek and to save. Each year more of our churches are increasing Cooperative Programs giving and at the same time others are beginning whole hearted participation.

Several associations in North Carolina have 100% of their churches giving through the Cooperative Program. According to available records our association gave a total of $57,418.00 this past year through the Cooperative Programs. Eleven churches did not share in world missions through the Cooperative Programs.

With enthusiasm let us be faithful in worshiping with tithes and offerings, and our church sharing regularly through the Cooperative Program for the benefit of a lost world.

WE RECOMMEND:

1. That every church plan a stewardship program to subscribe and thoroughly promote the church's budget.

2. That we engage regularly in prayer for Cooperative Program causes.

3. That the churches give regularly through the Cooperative Program.

Respectfully submitted,

GERALD W. HERRIN

37. Rev. Tom Green, Raleigh, N. C., led the group in prayer, praying especially for those with loved ones in the Viet Nam War zone. Rev. Greene spoke on the subject of "Teaching Through Cooperative Stewardship." Rev. Greene emphasized that there are two ways we can go unto all the world in obedience to our Lord's command: (1) By Prayer, (2) By Giving Through the Cooperative Program. He further stated that there are three things the local church can do when the tithe is given by its members: (1) Carry on the local program, (2) Carry on the Associational program, (3) Carry on the Cooperative program. The speaker challenged the group to join with him in praying and tithing. Prayer was offered by Rev. Greene and the meeting adjourned for the noon meal.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

1:30 P. M.

38. Rev. J. D. Whisnant, Vice-Moderator, called the afternoon session to order and Mr. Elmer Phipps led the group in singing "Guide Me O Thou Great Jehovah", with Mrs. Earle Blalock at the piano and Mrs. James L. McCoy at the organ. Rev. Ronald McSwain, Pastor of the Dunn's Mt. Baptist Church, conducted devotionals using Psalms 46 and offering prayer.

39. Rev. Joe King was recognized and stated that the Committee on Committees had named Rev. Charles Burchette to serve on the Radio and Television Committee. This report was received as information since this had been authorized earlier in the session.

40. Mrs. Earle Blalock was recognized and brought the Music report. Motion that the report be accepted carried upon proper second.

MUSIC REPORT

Every year we are making progress in our music. We have in Christian Hymnody music to bury our beloved dead, marry our young, comfort our hurt, praise Him for his goodness, and hymns to meet every need and occasion. We shall try to help our people realize the joy of participation and be aware of the words as they sing our great old hymns that have been given to great hearts that they might strengthen and bless us.

We are grateful for our school of music held in August under the direction of Mr. Joe Stroud from Raleigh. Mr. Stroud led the adults in Christian Hymnody and was a great help and inspiration, leading us into new vision of church music. Mrs. E. H. Potts of Spencer taught intermediates from a new youth textbook, "You Can Learn To Read Music". Both sessions were greatly helpful, and we look hopefully to a near future day when we can come together in greater number.

We are encouraged that First Church has sent graded choirs from intermediate groups directed by Mrs. Rudy Gregory and junior groups directed by Mrs. E. S. Smoot to the state festivals for the past few years. We trust all churches which do not already have youth choirs will plan to enroll their youth in a graded choir program. Today's child is tomorrow's man.

The "M" night sing is always a lovely participation experience and is an annual event. Also the carol sing for the Veterans Hospital is always deeply appreciated.

Many of our churches have organs and pianos, directors and accompanists. We encourage each church to have two or more choirs. Looking to the future, this is necessary to our people for spiritual strength and growth.

The music committee stands ready to help any of our churches who feel we can minister to their needs. May every heart among us say rejoice, give thanks and sing!

Respectfully submitted,
GEORGIA BLALOCK
Chairman, Music Committee

41. Mr. Clarence Wise was recognized and gave the Sunday School report. Motion for acceptance carried.

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT—1965-66

During the past year the Sunday School Department of Rowan Association held quarterly meetings with the main emphasis on the second step in the Adult Thrust emphasis "Bearing our Wit-

ness for Christ." Many of the churches participated but some failed to respond. It is hoped that more of our churches and their Sunday school teachers and workers will take advantage of these meetings to improve the quality of their sunday schools.

A Vacation Bible School Clinic was conducted with good representation of the churches. This clinic was under the direction of Rev. H. M. Hocutt. Thirty-three Bible schools were reported this year.

This coming year we will continue to emphasize adults in the Sunday School with particular emphasis on reaching men. The Church Growth Plan is designed to increase enrollment that more men, women and children will be taught the Bible and won to our Lord.

We read in Deuteronomy 31:12 "Gather the people together, men, and women, and children, and thy stranger that is within thy gates, that they may hear, and that they may learn, and fear the Lord your God, and observe to do all the words of this law." Under grace can we do less than this?

Respectfully submitted,
CLARENCE G. WISE

42. Mr. Ronald Queen was recognized and brought the Training Union report. Motion carried for adoption of report. Mr. Queen announced the "M" Night meeting to be held at the First Baptist Church, Salisbury, stating that the Pastor of the First Baptist Church, Monroe, N. C., would be the guest speaker. The group sang "Wonderful Words Of Life."

TRAINING UNION REPORT

Rowan Baptists, I think most of you will agree that we need a Christian training program in our churches. However, it is true that only a small percentage of people really participate in the training offered by most of our churches. It is the plan of all Southern Baptist and State workers to help all the local church leaders to begin realizing now - as never before - that our training is not just an hour spent in the Sunday night program. The training program now being offered to our local churches provides an excellent plan for finding and training dedicated people. Men and women trained in the Training Union can be better Sunday School teachers, Brotherhood workers, and mission leaders. We need to enlist and train Christian young people now. No business - and certainly not the King's business - can function properly without a training program.

This past year our Association engaged in several projects such as leadership conferences, mass meetings, and a spring tournament. From this Tournament Keith Corriher from Oakdale went on to win in the state memory work for the fourth straight year.

A change from our previous scheduling brings more leadership conferences this year. With our core of age-group officers, we plan to visit churches - but only upon request. This will give a training program to churches that need special conferences and training periods for new officers.

The task of our own Association in this line is to create among our people the realization that every phase and type of training has been assigned to the Training Union. Therefore it cannot be limited to a one hour, weekly program on Sunday night.

I challenge you to pray for and support our training program as we emphasize Youth Nights, Tournaments, our largest mass meeting which is called "M" Night, and Training Union Summer Assembly attendance.

Let us who are Training Union Directors, pastors, and interested leaders of Rowan County Baptist churches decide now that during the coming year we would take this as our goal:

To conduct a talent survey in our churches to find out what our potential leadership is, and then to set up a definite program to train these potential leaders.

With God's help we can truly "study to show ourselves approved."

Respectfully submitted,
RONALD G. QUEEN
Asso. Training Union Director

43. Rev. B. Lester Huff presented Mr. Joe Stroud who spoke on the subject of "Teaching Through Church Organizations." Mr. Stroud stated that the Christian church of this generation faces the greatest challenge of all times, and that we must re-examine the church's position. We must lay down some guiding principles for the Christian church of our day. Our task is to build the church in lieu of building the organizations. The speaker stated that the future value and significance of Christian education depends upon four things: (1) Share effectively a coherent integrated body of biblical truth, (2) Its ability to relate dynamically and interpret this truth in daily life, (3) Its ability to nurture the souls of individuals by the Holy Spirit for growth in Grace, (4) Its ability to teach our folk the fine art of public worship. The Moderator expressed appreciation for the fine hospitality of the host churches and the interest of the people through the attendance at this

year's annual session. The Thirty-Ninth Annual Session of the Rowan Baptist Association closed with prayer by Rev. J. D. Whisn ant, host pastor.

MINUTES OF THE THIRTY-NINTH ANNUAL MEETING OF ROWAN W.M.U.

The Rowan Woman's Missionary Union met in annual session April 7, 1966 with the Landis Church as hostess. Mrs. J. C. Scruggs, President, called the meeting to order and Mrs. Frank Leach, Chorister, led the opening hymn "O For A Thousand Tongues to Sing".

Mrs. James McLeod, Prayer Chairman, presented a devotional message and Mrs. R. B. Motley led in prayer.

The President recognized the visitors present and Rev. John Carter, our Associational Missionary. Mrs. P. A. Arrowood, President of the Landis W.M.S. was recognized and she extended a welcome to those present.

The financial report and proposed budget were presented by the Treasurer. The Secretary read a recommendation from the Executive Board that Section 3 in Article 5 of the By-Laws be deleted which reads "No person shall hold the same office for more than five consecutive years". There was a motion and second to delete this.

The report of the Nominating Committee was presented by Mrs. Ronald Queen, Chairman, as follows:

President.....Mrs. J. C. Scruggs
198 N. Yadkin Ave., Spencer, N. C.

Vice President.....Mrs. John E. Carter
Box 187, Faith, N. C.

Y.W.A. Director.....Mrs. Robert Kluttz
602 W. Franklin St., Salisbury, N. C.

G.A. Director.....Mrs. Charles Hellard
2010 Rosemont St., Salisbury, N. C.

Sunbeam Director.....Mrs. E. J. Wagner
Route 4, Box 456, Salisbury, N. C.

Prayer Chairman.....Mrs. James McLeod
329 E. Bank St., Salisbury, N. C.

Mission Study Chairman.....Mrs. Hayden M. Cartner
710 Maupin Ave., Salisbury, N. C.

Stewardship Chairman.....Mrs. H. M. Hocutt
113 Charles St., Spencer, N. C.

Community Missions Chairman .....Mrs. R. B. Motley
1938 Rosemont St., Salisbury, N. C.

Secretary-Treasurer.....Mrs. Herman Hood
210 N. Long St., Salisbury, N. C.

Chorister.....Mrs. Frank Leach
628 W. Council St., Salisbury, N. C.

Pianist.....Mrs. David Barker
404 Oakwood Dr., Spencer, N. C.

Nominating Committee for 1967-68 .....Mrs. Fant Kelly
304 N. Yadkin Ave., Spencer, N. C.

Mrs. Marvin W. Dameron
611 Carolina Ave., Spencer, N. C.

Mrs. W. R. Hoover
1620 S. Main St., Salisbury, N. C.

There was a motion and second to elect the officers as presented. Rev. John Carter, Associational Missionary, recognized the newly elected officers and led in a prayer of dedication.

Mrs. Leach sang a solo "Tell It Again".

An interesting skit "You In The Knews" was presented by Mrs. John Carter, Mrs. H. M. Hocutt, Mrs. R. B. Motley and Mrs. James McLeod.

The Youth Directors and Vice-President presented information and facts about missionary organizations in Rowan Association and stressed the importance of "Operation 100 Per Cent" of missionary organizations in every church in our Association.

After the hymn "O Zion Haste", Dr. Clyde Chapman, Pastor of First Baptist Church, Spencer brought a timely and challenging message on "The Christian Home".

The highlight of the evening was the closing message on mission work in Hawaii brought to us by Mrs. Harry Wood of Leaksville who is Stewardship Chairman of North Carolina W.M.U. and who spent two months serving in Hawaii under the Christian In Service Core of our Home Mission Board. Mrs. Wood led the closing prayer adjourning the meeting.

MRS. HERMAN HOOD

Secretary

Church Directories

ORDAINED MINISTERS

Calvary: E. F. Eagle.....Route 8, Salisbury
Cooleemee, First: Bill Creason .....Cooleemee
Corriher Heights: H. T. Davis (Retired)....Route 3, China Grove
Dunn's Mountain: Lewis F. McLean.....P. O. Box 812, Salisbury
Emmanuel: James McLeod .....429 East Bank Street, Salisbury
C. E. Wraight.....603 4th Street, Spencer
Faith: John E. Carter.....Box 187, Faith
Landis: Robert Steadman.....125 Carolina Ave., Salisbury
Paul Spry.....900 Vance St., Landis
Bob McGalliard.....China Grove
Milford Hills: J. W. Loy, Jr.....118 Shamrock Dr., Salisbury
Oakdale: J. W. Propst.....P. O. Box 405, Spencer
Rowan Mills: Ralph Lomax.....Park Ave., Salisbury
Salisbury, First: Wm. E. Haltom (Ch.)....404 Ackert Ave, Salisbury
Stallings Memorial: J. H. Hill .....Klumac Road, Salisbury
Lewis Williams—
1929 Woodleaf Rd., Salisbury
Trading Ford: R. N. Huneycutt (Retired).....Route 4, Salisbury
Trinity: Carl Kincaid .....102 Newton St., Spencer

LICENSED MINISTERS

Calvary: Wade Bost.....1416 Filbert St., Salisbury
Canaan: John M. Gobble .....60 Park Ave., Salisbury
J. B. Hinson.....Route 3, Box 659, Salisbury
Community: Clarence Denham.....311 Oakwood Ave., Salisbury
George Denham .....111 Seventh St., Spencer
Odell Dover.....Route 3, Salisbury
Corriher Heights: Joe Draper.....Route 3, China Grove
Dunn's Mountain: Paul Allen Via.....U. S. Air Force
Faith: John E. Carter, Jr.....Box 187, Faith
Gold Hill: George Connell.....Gold Hill
Henry Linker.....Gold Hill
Ralph Smith.....Rockwell
Landis: Millard Hill.....704 Elm St., Kannapolis
J. D. Waugh.....Route 2, Box 504, China Grove
Needmore: Arnold Joe Newton.....Route 1, Woodleaf
Oakdale: Roy Young .....Box 1100, Salisbury
Rowan Mills: Bruce Allman.....Route 2, Box 757, Salisbury
George Estes.....Route 6, Salisbury
Jerry Henrickson.....Franks Trailer Park, Salisbury
George Bradshaw....Rt. 2, Rowan Mills, Salisbury

Southside: G. L. Hillard.....Morlan Park Road, Salisbury
West Park: Johnny Sprinkle.....Rockwell
Wyatt's Grove: John Brady.....Route 5, Salisbury

MINISTERS LICENSED AND ORDAINED THIS YEAR

China Grove, First: Ronald W. McSwain (O)—
Route 5, Box 630, Salisbury
Gold Hill: Ralph Smith (L).....Rockwell
Landis: Nelson Wright (O).....Salisbury
B. E. Bassinger (O).....S. Main Street, China Grove
West Park: William T. Walters (O).....China Grove

MISSIONS

Franklin Mission—sponsored by Calvary Church
Oakland Heights Mission—sponsored by Trading Ford Church

VISUAL EDUCATION DIRECTOR

Rev. John Carter, Associational Missionary, Box 187, Faith

CHAIRMEN HISTORY COMMITTEE

Dunn's Mountain.....Mrs. Bennie Waller, Route 5, Salisbury
Enon.....T. R. Stepp, 2015 Woodleaf Rd., Salisbury
Needmore.....Miss Gladys Safriet, Route 1, Woodleaf
Spencer, First .....Mrs. Foy Sowers, 303 S. Rowan Ave., Salisbury
Franklin Mission.....Mrs. John K. Hunter, Bennett Hgts, Salisbury

CHAIRMEN MISSIONS COMMITTEE

China Grove, First.....R. J. Davis, 404 Chapel St., China Grove
Rockwell.....Mrs. Paul Jones, Route 1, Rockwell

CHAIRMAN CHRISTIAN EDUCATION COMMITTEE

Faith.....Mrs. Clyde Newton, Route 3, Salisbury

PIANISTS AND ORGANISTS

Calvary..... Miss Nelda Chunn, Rt. 8, Salisbury
Canaan..... Mrs. J. D. Hogsed, Rt. 3, Box 603, Salisbury
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China Grove, South.....Miss Myra Earnhardt, 402 Kirk St., China Grove
Community.....Mrs. Ruth Hamrick, Rt. 2, Salisbury
Cooleemee, First.....Mrs. Margaret Brinegar, Box 94, Cooleemee

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Dunn's Mountain.....Mrs. Perry Lowman, 711 Faith Road, Salis.
East Corinth.....Mrs. J. D. Goodman, Rt. 1, Box 58B, Gold Hill
East Spencer First.....Mrs. H. D. Shelton, Box 158, East Spencer
Eastside.....Mrs. Bernard Trexler, Rt. 5, Box 449, Salisbury
Emmanuel.....Miss Mary Upright, 1201 Park Ave., Salis.
Enon.....Mrs. Terry Menster, Rt. 1, Box 170, Salisbury
Faith.....Mrs. Arthur Rodgers, Rt. 3, Box 927, Kannapolis
Gold Hill.....Vera Eudy, Gold Hill
Grace.....Jimmy Mason, 1502 Central Drive, Kannapolis
Landis.....Sharon Fowler, Rt. 3, China Grove
Milford Hills.....Mrs. Barbara Hoffman, 723 Maupin Ave., Salis.
Needmore.....Miss Annie Murph, Rt. 1, Woodleaf
North Main.....Mrs. Jerry Powell, 1608 N. Main St., Salis.
Oakdale.....Guy Lanning, Rt. 8, Yadkin, Salisbury
Pine Ridge.....Mrs. Guy Schenck, Rt. 2, China Grove
Providence.....Mrs. O. K. Everhardt, 403 Verbal St., E. Spencer
Rockwell.....Mrs. Janice Robbins, Mocksville Hwy., Salisbury
Rowan Mills.....Mrs. Buford Shook, 126 Dunham Ave., Salisbury
Salisbury, First.....Vaughn Luckadoo, Rt. 6, Box 216, Salisbury
Southside.....Miss Linda Cope, 323 Rose Avenue, Salisbury
Spencer, First. Miss Virginia Neister, 416 N. Rowan Ave., Spencer
Stallings Memorial....Mrs. E. H. Potts, 421 N. Iredell Ave., Spencer
Trading Ford.....Mrs. Grady Barber, Route 4, Salisbury
Trinity.....Mrs. Jack Roark, 2009 Robin Road, Salisbury
West Corinth.....Mrs. James Miller, Rt. 3, Mooresville
West Park.....Elsie Mae Boger, Lane St., Kannapolis
Wyatts Grove.....Miss Sue Beam, Rt. 1, Box 185, Richfield
Yadkin.....Mrs. Fleta Dennis, Rt. 8, Box 346, Salisbury
Franklin Mission.....Mrs. Robert Ball, Bennett Heights, Salisbury
Oakland Heights Mission.....Mrs. C. A. Beck, P. O. Box 465, East Spencer

CHAIRMEN OF DEACONS

Calvary.....Melvin Harmon, Rt. 8, Salisbury
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China Grove, South.....J. D. Rivers, 408 Kirk St., China Grove
Community.....Roy F. Daughtery, Rt. 2, China Grove
Cooleemee, First.....Arnold Garwood, Box 274, Cooleemee
Corriher Heights .....E. W. Haynes, Rt. 3, China Grove
Dunn's Mountain.....C. M. Miller, Jr., Rt. 5, Box 646, Salisbury
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East Spencer, First.....James W. Bean, Rt. 4, Salisbury
Eastside.....W. A. Livengood, Rt. 5, Box 563, Salisbury
Emmanuel.....James Lanning, 816 E. Franklin St., Salisbury

Enon.....A. B. Poteat, Rt. 1, Box 170, Salisbury
Faith.....J. C. Eagle, Box 111, Rt. 3, Salisbury
Gold Hill.....Harry Lee Beaver, Rt. 2, China Grove
Grace.....Richard Harrington, 1203 China Grove Rd., Kan.
Landis.....C. C. Fain, Rockwell Road, China Grove
Milford Hills.....James Nichols, 1116 Edgedale Dr., Salis.
Needmore.....Brady Seamon, Box 72, Cleveland
North Main.....J. H. Brower, 202 E. 14th St., Salisbury
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Pine Ridge.....John Luther, 44 Rose Ave., China Grove
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Salisbury, First
Southside.....James J. Black, Rt. 7, Salisbury
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Trinity.....Carl Kincaid, 102 Newton St., Spencer
West Corinth.....L. M. Honeycutt, Rt. 3, China Grove
West Park.....Denver Watkins, Rt. 5, Salisbury
Wyatts Grove.....Norman Beam, Rt. 1, Box 185, Richfield
Yadkin
Franklin Mission
Oakland Heights Mission

CHAIRMEN OF RECREATION COMMITTEE

East Corinth.....Miss Jenette Goodman, Rt. 1, Box 55, Gold Hill
East Spencer, First.....A. J. Shuping, Box 301, East Spencer
Enon.....Marshall Wood, Rt. 6, Salisbury
Needmore.....Rev. H. L. Carroll, Rt. 1, Woodleaf
Pine Ridge.....Mr. and Mrs. Winford Patterson, Rt. 2, China Grove

Statistical Tables

CHURCHES	PASTORS AND ADDRESSES (Include ZIP Code)	Year Organized	Location 1-2-3-4-5-6-7	Services 1-2-3-4	Revival Meetings Held	No. Missions Started This Year	No. Local Missions Operated by Church	Total Baptisms	Other Additions	Members Lost by Letter, Death, etc.	Resident Members	Nonresident Members	Grand Total Present Members	Mems. Received from non-Baptist Churches	Members Lost to non-Baptist Churches	State Paper In Budget	Pastor's Annual Salary (Whether had a pastor for full year or not)
Calvary	J. D. Whisnant, Route 8, Salisbury, 28144	1895	1	4	2		1	10	21	17	565	75	640			**	5,582
Canaan	J. D. Hogsed, Route 3, Box 603, Salisbury, 28144	1960	1	4	1			7	14	2	62	1	63			**	2,080
China Grove: First	R. O. Brinkley, 306 W. Patterson, China Grove, 28023	1888	3	4	1		1	11	9	6	308	48	356	3	2	**	5,893
China Grove: South	Gordon Pope, 505 Haney Street, China Grove, 28023	1928	3	4	1			1	5	9	173	40	213		1	**	5,460
Community	Larry Linker, Box 155A, Mt. Pleasant, 28124	1950	6	4			1	3	3	22	25	124	149			**	1,620
Cooleemee: First	Charles P. Burchette, Box 518, Cooleemee, 27014	1901	3	4	1			15	17	15	451	156	607	3	1	*	5,670
Corriher Heights	Harley D. Faulkenberry, 701 Terrace Drive, Kannapolis, 28081	1950	3	4					5	47	51		51		2	**	2,156
Dunn's Mountain	Ronald W. McSwain, Route 5, Box 630, Salisbury, 28144	1905	2	4	2			11	28	18	293	50	343	2		**	5,200
East Corinth	Joe King, Route 1, Box 54A, Gold Hill, 28071	1867	1	4	2			3	1	5	74	53	127	1	2	**	3,760
East Spencer: First	Marvin Smith, Box 496, East Spencer, 28039	1921	3	4	2			3	8	8	114	27	141			**	3,900
Eastside	Lewis W. Archer, Route 1, Box 589, Salisbury, 28144	1953	1	4	1			3	3	5	65	6	71	2		**	2,005
Emmanuel	W. Ira Warren, 605 E. Cemetery Street, Salisbury, 28144	1950	4	4				16	8	11	281	36	317		3	**	5,720
Enon	None	1900	7	4	1			2	6	16	258	60	318			*	4,688
Faith	B. Lester Huff, Box 84, Faith, 28041	1898	3	4	1			12	21	12	279	31	310	1	1	**	5,980
Gold Hill	Mahlon Furr, Route 2, Gold Hill, 28071	1874	2	4	2			4	8	9	84	29	113			**	3,380
Grace	Harold J. Mason, 1502 Central Drive, Kannapolis, 28081	1942	6	4	1			5	6	1	162	106	268			**	5,200
Landis	Harold Parker, West Ryder Street, Landis, 28088	1926	4	4	2			38	34	25	790	155	945		1	**	7,295
Milford Hills	John T. Holland, 1300 E. Colonial Drive, Salisbury, 28144	1960	7	4				11	41	27	216	7	223	1	2	**	6,000
Needmore	H. L. Carroll, Route 1, Woodleaf, 27054	1943	1	4	2			5		5	102	60	162		1	**	4,340
North Main Street	Ralph C. Hammett, 119 East 15th Street, Salisbury, 28144	1909	4	4	1				1	15	323	200	523		1	**	4,940
Oakdale	H. M. Hocutt, 113 Charles Street, Spencer, 28159	1925	4	4	1			7	3	14	420	82	502		14	**	6,500
Pine Ridge	None	1948	1	4	1			4		6	72	54	126			**	3,640
Providence	James M. Bulman, P. O. Box 316, East Spencer, 28039	1960	3	4				1			55	2	57			**	3,640
Rockwell	C. V. Talbert, Route 3, Salisbury, 28144	1906	3	4				11	1	5	150	52	202			**	4,160
Rowan Mills	Carl Shelton, Route 2, Salisbury, 28144	1925	2	4	2			4	7	23	316	100	416		5	**	4,680
Salisbury: First	W. J. Stephenson, 732 Mocksville Avenue, Salisbury, 28144	1849	5	4	1			30	55	173	943	132	1075	4	21	**	10,000
Southside	None	1942	3	4	2			22	19	20	398	89	487	2	9	**	4,680
Spencer: First	Clyde D. Chapman, 216 Fifth Street, Spencer, 28159	1898	3	4	1			12	8	29	432	98	530	5	4	**	7,080
Stallings Memorial	Hayden M. Cartner, 710 Maupin Avenue, Salisbury, 23144	1899	5	4	1			20	32	30	708	110	818	1	1	**	7,800
Trading Ford	Banks W. Mullis, Route 4, Box 333E, Salisbury, 28144	1870	2	4	1		1	11	2	15	525	52	577		2	**	7,280
Trinity	Marvin W. Dameron, 611 Carolina Avenue, Spencer, 28159	1944	3	4	2		1	24	8	8	284	53	337	6		**	4,200
West Corinth	Horace Moree, Route 3, Mooresville, 28115	1894	1	4	2			5	8	9	209	29	238		4	*	5,460
West Park	James A. Rogers, Route 2, Rockwell, 28138	1940	1	4	2	1			20	8	94	99	193	2	3	**	4,780
Wyatt's Grove	Jack D. Thomas, Route 1, Box 188, Richfield, 28137	1911	1	4	2			4	7	9	115	24	139	1	1	**	4,160
Yadkin	Virgil Holloway, Route 1, Linwood, 27299	1947	2	4	2			5	4	3	133	17	150		1	**	4,160
Franklin Mission	None		3	4	1			5	17	10	85	10	95		2	**	3,120
Oakland Heights Mission	Richard Peek, 109 Pine Street, Lowell, 28098		6	4	1					18	85	5	90			**	961
TOTALS					45		5	325	430	655	9700	2272	11972	34	84		177,170

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* Denotes Yes
** Denotes No

TABLE B THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

CHURCHES	SUNDAY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENTS AND ADDRESSES (Include ZIP Code) Asso. Supt.—Clarence G. Wise Rt. 6, Box 424, Salisbury	Cradle Roll	Nursery	Beginners	Primaries	Juniors	Intermediates	Young People, Single	Young People, Married	Young People, Away	Adults (25-34)	Adults (35-64)	Adults (65 up)	Extension Department	General Officers	Mission Enrolment	Total Enrolment	Average Weekly Attendance	Church V.B.S. Enrolment	Total Vacation Bible School Enrolment
Calvary	Ed Russell, Route 8, Salisbury, 28144		17	24	27	49	59	31	25	12	35	93	53		7		432	246	123	123
Canaan	James Floyd, 43 Park Ave., Salisbury, 28144		12	11	9	10	11		8		18	17					96	56	62	62
China Grove: First	K. L. Howard, 315 Park St., China Grove, 28023	2	12	17	28	38	26	12		10	133				5	18	301	169	98	98
China Grove: South	Bobby Talbert, Box 243, China Grove, 28023		10	11	17	30	16	15	6	1	26	45	8	8	7		200	89	83	83
Community	J. D. Hellard, Route 8, Box 610B, Salisbury, 28144			5	5	15	6	8				20			5	85	149	110	58	58
Cooleemee: First	J. R. Overcash, Box 304, Cooleemee, 27014		22	17	43	38	43	32	18		52	131	40		4		440	185	104	104
Corriher Heights	William Hampton, Route 3, Box 172J, China Grove, 28023		5		13	13	11	10				15	1		4		72	35	60	60
Dunn's Mountain	James L. McCoy, Route 5, Box 651, Salisbury, 28144		30	15	18	30	29	10	24	4	27	95	6	15	11		314	168	105	105
East Corinth	Coy L. Morgan, 1011 Rosemary Ave., Kannapolis, 28081		8	5	9	9	16	9			22	12			5		95	65	48	48
East Spencer: First			8	10	13	21	27	14	4		12	33	3		3		148	86	86	86
Eastside	Walter Morrison, Route 5, Salisbury, 28144		6	6	11	5	4	8	17	1		12			3		73	35	28	28
Emmanuel	James Lanning, 816 E. Franklin St., Salisbury, 28144		11	10	14	28	29	21		4	46	59		10	4		236	125	90	90
Enon	C. G. Wise, Route 6, Box 424, Salisbury, 28144	3	19	23	23	30	21	18			69	65		5	4		280	175	136	136
Faith	Duard L. Gardner, Box 111, Faith, 28041	1	35	16	29	35	41	14	24	5	25	90		25	4		344	169	121	121
Gold Hill	Wayne Taylor, P. O. Box 143, Gold Hill, 28071		8	10	11	12	14	7			16	23					101	60	45	45
Grace	F. M. Stowe, 811 Carolyn Ave., Kannapolis, 28081		7	14	12	19	19	15			11	24	28		3		152	84	87	87
Landis	Sam F. Chapman, Route 3, Box 396, China Grove, 28023		19	61	50	77	52	50	30	10	100	141	20	13	13		636	517	167	167
Milford Hills	H. Joe Jarrell, 1235 E. Colonial Dr., Salisbury, 28144		15	23	28	26	18	13	16	2	46	31			9		227	107	97	97
Needmore	G. M. Murph, Route 1, Box 102, Woodleaf, 27054		8	22	11	18	11	5	8	2	13	29	5		5		137	109	90	90
North Main Street	Howard Hilliard, 502 E. Lafayette St., Salisbury, 28144		14	10	22	33	44	14			35	54	20	14	3		263	155		
Oakdale	Paul Hinkle, Box 191, Spencer, 28159	10	20	16	18	39	43		33	20		171		14	3		387	218	134	134
Pine Ridge	Winford Patterson, Route 2, China Grove, 28023		12	9	13	18	12	9	16		25				4		118	85	56	56
Providence	Mrs. Ruth Beck, East Spencer, N. C., 28039		2	5	8	7	3	4			5	12	5		2		53	23		
Rockwell	W. K. Briggs, Route 1, Rockwell, 28138	3		18	15	24	10	11	20	8	25	25	10		3		172	125		
Rowan Mills	L. J. Miller, 418 E. Depot St., E. Spencer, 28039		9	9	19	31	21	11	9	4	21	22	28	13	6		203	175	65	65
Salisbury: First	Graham M. Carlton, P. O. Box 442, Salisbury, 28144	11	67	31	60	74	131	43	17	50	122	196	93	45	6		946	413	176	176
Southside	J. Odell Foster, 122 Dunham Ave., Salisbury, 28144		29	33	31	38	23	15			31	40	15		3		258	174	127	127
Spencer: First	J. M. Crowell, Jr., 1001 4th Street, Spencer, 28159		25	25	33	55	35	15	30	15	26	14	121	13	3		410	184	117	117
Stallings Memorial	Charles Hellard, 2010 Rosemont Ave., Salisbury, 28144	1	65	32	61	80	72	36	35		63	140	41	30	6		662	351	200	200
Trading Ford	Lacy Barber, 900 N. Salisbury Ave., Spencer, 28159		30	25	21	43	38	29	31		142		38	8	4		409	225	140	140
Trinity	J. M. Clark, Route 2, Salisbury, 28144		1	15	13	18	16	18	6		19	36	22	10	4	18	196	120	112	112
West Corinth	James W. Miller, Route 3, Mooresville, 28115		13	11	9	17	20	10	20		5	53			3		161	96	64	64
West Park	Kermit Cruse, Route 3, Concord, 28025	19			14	25	44		14			46					162	145	82	82
Wyatt's Grove	W. M. Morgan, Route 1, Box 118B, Gold Hill, 28071		4	9	5	6	9		14		11	25			4		87	60	27	27
Yadkin	Elon Dennis, Route 1, Box 268, Linwood, 27299		10	13	11	8	13	13			35			33	4		140	77	67	67
Franklin Mission	T. W. Hamilton, Route 1, Box 401, Salisbury, 28144		12	12	17	19	10	2	10		24	18		1	4		129	68	54	54
Oakland Heights Mission	C. A. Beck, P. O. Box 465, E. Spencer, 28039		4	2	2	4	12	5	5		31				12		77		65	65
TOTALS		50	569	575	743	1042	1009	527	440	148	1271	1787	557	257	170	121	9266		3174	3174

CHURCHES	TRAINING UNION DIRECTORS AND ADDRESSES (Include ZIP Code) Assoc. Director—Ronald G. Queen Route 4, Box 457, Salisbury	Nursery	Beginners	Primaries	Juniors	Intermediates	Young People, Single	Young People, Married	Adults (25-34)	Adults (35-64)	Adults (65-over)	General Officers	Total Training Union Enrolment	Average Weekly Attendance	Prog. of New Member Orient.?	A Def. Leadership Training Prog.?
Calvary	Mrs. Faye Hillard, Route 8, Salisbury, 28144		1	6	15	20	12		10		9	2	75	64	*	**
Canaan	None															
China Grove: First	Franklin Scarbrough, 905 Klondale, China Grove, 28023		4	6	6	6	4						26	20	*	**
China Grove: South	None															
Community	C. B. Hamrick, Route 2, Salisbury, 28144		3	7		7				14		1	32	30	**	**
Cooleemee: First	Ray Jordan, Box 423, Cooleemee, 27014														*	
Corriher Heights	None															
Dunn's Mountain	Mrs. John C. Dry, Route 5, Box 88, Salisbury, 28144		5	6	10	12	7			20		8	68	40	**	**
East Corinth	Miss Nancy Morgan, 1011 Rosemary Ave., Kannapolis, 28081			4	4	11				10		2	31	24	**	**
East Spencer: First	Mrs. W. E. Vincent, Box 414, East Spencer, 28039	2	1	2	4	5			12			2	28	16	**	**
Eastside	Mrs. Raymond Calder, Route 5, Salisbury, 28144		4	10	5				12	4		3	38	23	**	**
Emmanuel	Bruce Tate, 903 East Henderson St., Salisbury, 28144	3	9	15	12	14				17		3	73	44		
Enon	Harold Cartner, Route 1, Box 176A, Woodleaf, 27054	7	11	13	13	8	9	11	12	27		3	114	48	**	**
Faith	Howard Horton, Route 2, Box 67, Rockwell, 28138		8	10	21	21	7		32	9		4	112	54	*	*
Gold Hill	None															
Grace	Hubert W. Cannon, 720 Evelyn Ave., Kannapolis, 28081			6	8	10	3			19		2	48	18		
Landis	Herman Rutledge, Villa Ave., Kannapolis, 28081	4	10	15	23	10	11	14	11	14		6	118	115	**	**
Milford Hills	None														*	*
Needmore	Arnold J. Newton, Route 1, Woodleaf, 27054		5	5	7	6			10	15		5	53	48	**	**
North Main Street	Mrs. Ethel Hammett, 119 E. 15th St., Salisbury, 28144	3	6	11	13	15	4		5	16	12	4	89	48	**	**
Oakdale	Junius E. Corriher, Route 8, Box 436, Salisbury, 28144		4	9	16	25		7		34		3	98	62	**	**
Pine Ridge	Lee Crawford, Route 2, China Grove, 28023	3	5	5	6	6	2	10		9		3	49	36	**	**
Providence	Ernest Lowman, 206 Earnhardt St., East Spencer, 28039		3	5	5	3			1	8	2	3	30	16	*	**
Rockwell	David Boger, Route 1, Rockwell, 28138			8	10	4			13	6		2	43	26	**	**
Rowan Mills	Bobby Goodman, 808 S. Bostian St., China Grove, 28023			4	6	4				45		4	63	41		
Salisbury: First	Raymond Gilbert, 1026 S. Fulton St., Salisbury, 28144	10	6	17	21	22	40			24		3	143	72	**	**
Southside	None															
Spencer: First	Jerry Harriel, 406 S. Hudson Ave., Spencer, 28159	6	11		18	19			22	11		2	89	35	**	**
Stallings Memorial	E. H. (Jim) Ballard, Route 6, Salisbury, 28144	2	4	12	17	26	5	25	14	15		3	123	64	**	**
Trading Ford	Ronald G. Queen, Route 4, Box 457, Salisbury, 28144	5	1	3	3	2	7			6		3	30	21	**	**
Trinity	T. R. Wise, 1009 Fourth St., Spencer, 28159	3	6	5	12	9	11		17	12	1	3	79	46	**	**
West Corinth	Wade F. Campbell, Route 1, China Grove, 28023		3	2	9	14	5			14		5	52	31	**	**
West Park	None															
Wyatt's Grove	None															
Yadkin	None		5		5	8				18			36	27		
Franklin Mission	Clarence F. Young, Route 1, Box 572, Salisbury, 28144		4	6	10	7	1	4	18			2	52	23	*	**
Oakdale Heights Mission	None															
TOTALS		48	119	192	279	294	128	71	189	367	24	81	1792			

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TABLE D MUSIC MINISTRY

CHURCHES	MUSIC DIRECTOR AND ADDRESSES (Include ZIP Code) Assoc. Music Director—Charles Bolden Route 1, Salisbury	Beginners	Primaries	Juniors	Intermediates	Young People	Adults	Special Groups (ensembles, chorus, etc.)	General Officers	Total Enrolment	Average Weekly Attendance	Number Organized Choirs	Number New Music Groups
Calvary	Mrs. Ed Russell, Route 8, Salisbury, 28144		3	17		3	20			43	32	2	
Canaan	J. B. Hinson, Route 3, Box 659, Salisbury, 28144												
China Grove: First	Patsy Hudson, 20 Rose Avenue, China Grove, 28023				2	8	12		2	24	14		
China Grove: South	Clinton Abernathy, Route 7, Salisbury, 28144			15	10	6	18		2	51	35	2	
Community	Roy F. Daugherty, Route 2, China Grove, 28023					8	20	3	1	32	25	1	
Cooleemee: First	Lynn Hopkins, Route 8, Box 178A, Salisbury, 28144	10	18	12			25		2	67	41	4	
Corriher Heights	Joe Draper, Route 3, Box 1, China Grove, 28023											1	
Dunn's Mountain	Grover Miller, Route 5, Box 648, Salisbury, 28144		3	10	5	6	12	1	2	39	20	3	
East Corinth	J. D. Goodman, Route 1, Box 58B, Gold Hill, 28071				1	10	8		2	21	19		
East Spencer: First	Robert S. Shelton, 1802 Rosemont Street, Salisbury, 28144					7	8		4	19	12	1	
Eastside	W. A. Livengood, Route 5, Box 563, Salisbury, 28144						10		2	12	6	1	
Emmanuel	Mrs. W. I. Warren, 605 East Cemetery Street, Salisbury, 28144			15	13	7	18	5	3	61	36	3	2
Enon	A. B. Poteat, Route 1, Box 170, Salisbury, 28144											1	
Faith	Mrs. Raymond Lomax, Faith, 28041					11	30		2	43	25	2	
Gold Hill	George Connell, Gold Hill, 28071											1	
Grace	Mrs. Dorothy Hardin, 1800 Cooper Ave., Kannapolis, 28081						26			26	21	1	1
Landis	Bobby Childress, 13th Street, Kannapolis, 28081				10	20	45	4		79	75	1	
Milford Hills	Mrs. Erna Lee Jones, 1621 Statesville Blvd., Salisbury, 28144			13			21			34	12	1	1
Needmore	A. C. Seamon, Route 1, Cleveland, 27013			15			20	3	6	44	35	2	2
North Main Street	Mrs. B. W. Hendrix, Route 6, Box 468, Salisbury, 28144			15	15		30		2	62	30		
Oakdale	Dr. Marvin Wigginton, Catawba College, Salisbury, 28144					5	14			19	12	1	
Pine Ridge	Mrs. Lee Crawford, Route 2, China Grove, 28023						19			19		1	
Providence	Mrs. O. K. Everhardt, 403 Verbal St., East Spencer, 28039											1	
Rockwell	Charles Jones, Rockwell, 28138		10	8	8	10	22	4	4	66	51		
Rowan Mills	James Fisher, Route 7, Box 251, Salisbury, 28144			5	6	9	22			42	35	1	
Salisbury: First	Mrs. R. M. Gregory, 617 Catawba Road, Salisbury, 28144	8	26	27	10	29	22	2	9	133	95	5	
Southside	Norman C. Harris, Route 3, Box 94, Salisbury, 28144		6	10	4	5	12		2	39	12	2	1
Spencer: First	Mrs. Lucille Epperson, Catawba College, 28144			10			18			28		2	
Stallings Memorial	Charles R. Bolden, Route 1, Box 713, Salisbury, 28144			16	25	3	22		2	68	50	3	1
Trading Ford	Edwin E. Koontz, Route 4, Salisbury, 28144			12			24		4	40	18	2	
Trinity	O. Ray Vess, Route 7, Box 730, Salisbury, 28144	7	8	5	12	5	19			56	37	2	
West Corinth	James W. Miller, Route 3, Mooresville, 28115			12	10	3	18			43	35	2	
West Park	Edgar Canupp, 342 Chestnut Avenue, Kannapolis, 28081						10	6		16	6	2	
Wyatt's Grove	Norman Beam, Route 1, Box 185, Richfield, 28137				7	8	12		2	29	22	1	1
Yadkin	Tommy Lanning, Box 1100, Salisbury, 28144					18				18	14		
Franklin Mission	Mrs. Roy Parchment, Route 1, Salisbury, 28144					5	15		4	24	14	1	
Oakland Heights Mission	None												
TOTALS		25	74	217	138	186	572	28	57	1297		53	9

CHURCHES	PRESIDENTS OR DIRECTORS OF MEN'S BROTHERHOODS AND ADDRESSES (Include ZIP Code) Assoc. Brotherhood Pres.—Harold G. Henderson Route 8, Salisbury	No. Crusader Chapters	Crusaders (9-11 yrs.) Enrolment	No. Pioneer Chapters	Pioneers (12-14 yrs.) Enrolment	No. Ambassador Chapters	Ambassadors (15-17 yrs)	Total RA Enrolment	Baptist Men's Enrolment	Total Men	Total Enrolment (61, 64, 65)
Calvary	Robert Dudley, Route 8, Salisbury, 28144	1	6	1	9			15	12	12	27
Canaan	None										
China Grove: First	James C. Davis, 821 S. Bostian St., China Grove, 28023			1	7	1	8	15	36	36	51
China Grove: South	None	1	12					12			12
Community	J. D. Hellard, Route 8, Box 610B, Salisbury, 28144			1	3	1	2	5	7	7	12
Cooleemee: First	None	1	12					12			12
Corriher Heights	None										
Dunn's Mountain	S. A. Mayfield, Route 5, Box 635A, Salisbury, 28144	1	9					9	27	27	36
East Corinth	None	1	5			1	5	10			10
East Spencer: First	None										
Eastside	None										
Emmanuel	Richard Morefield, 218 S. Long, Salisbury, 28144	1	6	1	12			18	10	10	28
Enon	Richard Cooley, Route 1, Box 222, Salisbury, 28144	1	3	1	6	1	3	12	37	37	49
Faith	Claude Harwood, P. O. Box 182, Faith, 28041	1	9	1	7			16	25	25	41
Gold Hill	None										
Grace	None			1	7			7			7
Landis	Howard Rary, Box 213, China Grove, 28023								22	22	22
Milford Hills	Larry Poteat, Jr., 1116 North Jackson Street, Salisbury, 28144	1	5		10			15	65	65	80
Needmore	None			1	16			16			16
North Main Street	Kenneth Powell, 1608 N. Main Street, Salisbury, 28144								32	32	32
Oakdale	None	1	7	1	6	1	8	21			21
Pine Ridge	Bobby Scercy, Route 2, China Grove, 28023								12	12	12
Providence	None										
Rockwell	O. T. Medley, Rockwell, 28138	1	6					6	14	14	20
Rowan Mills	None										
Salisbury: First	None	1	12	1	7		6	25			25
Southside	None										
Spencer: First	Dr. James C. Eagle, Jr., P. O. Box 225, Spencer, 28159								30	30	30
Stallings Memorial	R. Reuben Hellard, 1931 Rosemont Street, Salisbury, 28144	1	22	1	14	1	8	44	45	45	89
Trading Ford	Bill W. Turner, Route 4, Salisbury, 28144					1	12	12	32	32	44
Trinity	T. H. Beckom, 1107 Rowan Avenue, Spencer, 28159							11	10	10	21
West Corinth	Clay L. Wilkinson, Route 3, Mooresville, 28115	1	5		3		3	11			11
West Park	Edgar Canupp, 342 Chestnut Street, Kannapolis, 28081								20	20	20
Wyatt's Grove	None										
Yadkin	Elon Dennis, Route 1, Box 268, Linwood, 27299					1	7	7	12	12	19
Franklin Mission	Robert A. Ball, Bennett Heights, Salisbury, 28144			1	3			3	6	6	9
Oakland Heights Mission	None										
TOTALS		14	119	12	110	8	62	302	454	454	756

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TABLE F WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

CHURCHES	WMU PRESIDENTS AND ADDRESSES (Include ZIP Code) Assoc. Pres.—Mrs. J. C. Scruggs 198 N. Yadkin Ave., Spencer	WMS Organizations	Ungraded YWA Organizations	High School YWA Organizations	Ungraded GA Organizations	Intermediate GA Organizations	Junior GA Organizations	Ungraded Sunbeam Band Organizations	Primary Sunbeam Band Organizations	Beginner Sunbeam Band Organizations	Sunbeam Nursery Organizations	Grand Total Organizations	WMS Enrolment	Ungraded YWA Enrolment	High School YWA Enrolment	Ungraded GA Enrolment	Intermediate GA Enrolment	Junior GA Enrolment	Ungraded Sunbeam Band Enrolment	Primary Sunbeam Band Enrolment	Beginner Sunbeam Band Enrolment	Sunbeam Nursery Enrolment	Grand Total Enrolment
Calvary	Mrs. Norman Jordan, Route 8, Salisbury, 28144	1	1			1	1		1	1		6	37	7			15	20		11	12		102
Canaan	Mrs. James M. Smith, P. O. Box 534, Rockwell, 28138	1					1	1				3	22					6	12				40
China Grove: First	Mrs. R. R. Hunter, Route 2, China Grove, 28023	1		1			1	1				4	35		5			8	17				65
China Grove: South	Mrs. J. C. Dover, Sr., 215 N. Chapel Street, Landis, 28088	1										1	20										20
Community	Mrs. George Denham, Jr., 111 Seventh St., Spencer 28159	1			1			1				3	9			9			7				25
Cooleemee: First	Mrs. Frank Seders, Box 142, Cooleemee, 27014	1	1		1				1	1		5	45	10		12				8	7		82
Corriher Heights	Mrs. Flo Ingram, Route 3, China Grove, 28023	1										1	12										12
Dunn's Mountain	Mrs. S. A. Mayfield, Route 5, Box 635A, Salisbury, 28144	1	1			1	1		1	1	1	7	34	10			11	15		24	10	6	110
East Corinth	Miss Jenette Goodman, Route 1, Box 55, Gold Hill, 28071	1						1				2	12						9				21
East Spencer: First	Mrs. J. L. Marshall, Route 7, Box 721, Salisbury, 28144	1		1		1	1		1	1		6	36		9		3	7		6	12		73
Eastside	Mrs. Gray Morrison, Route 5, Salisbury, 28144	1							1			2	5							7			12
Emmanuel	Mrs. J. W. Reep, 411 Rose Ave., Salisbury, 28144	1				1	1	1				4	18				9	10	12				49
Enon	Mrs. Ned Norris, 824 Statesville Rd., Salisbury, 28144	1	1			1	1		1	1		6	42	1			6	7		10	8		74
Faith	Mrs. Billy B. Wilhelm, Route 3, Box 535, Salisbury, 28144	1	1			1	2		1	1	1	8	64	13			10	20		9	7	2	125
Gold Hill	None																						
Grace	Mrs. Mary Fletcher, 504 E. Tenth St., Kannapolis, 28081	1			1			1				3	23			7			6				36
Landis	Mildred Arrowood, 806 Sloop St., Kannapolis, 28081	1	1			1	1		1	1	1	7	71	13			11	15					110
Milford Hills	Mrs. R. M. Brunson, Route 6, Salisbury, 28144	2				1	1		1	1		6	31				9	12		12	13		77
Needmore	Mrs. H. L. Carroll, Route 1, Woodleaf, 27054	1			1				1			3	12			6				10			28
North Main Street	Mrs. Thomas J. Ervin, 1204 S. Salis. Ave., Spencer, 28159	1		1		1	1		1	1		6	40		4		4	5		9	11		73
Oakdale	Mrs. J. A. Walton, P. O. Box 403, Spencer, 28159	1		1		1	1		1	1	1	7	110		7		9	12		13	10	4	165
Pine Ridge	Mrs. Winford Patterson, Route 2, China Grove, 28023	1					1		1			3	18					9		15			42
Providence	Mrs. Charles Beckom, P. O. Box 63, East Spencer, 28039	1									1	2	15									9	24
Rockwell	Mrs. Paul Jones, Route 1, Box 184B, Rockwell, 28138	1				1	1		1	1		5	20				5	10		9	9		53
Rowan Mills	None																						
Salisbury: First	Mrs. Paul C. Goble, 1623 W. Colonial Dr., Salisbury, 28144	1		1		2	3		3	1	1	12	159		9		27	30		22	11	17	275
Southside	Mrs. Peggy Buff, Route 3, Salisbury, 28144	1				1	1	1				4	20				5	14	8				47
Spencer: First	Mrs. G. A. Palmer, 501 Eighth Street, Spencer, 28159	2					1	1				4	96					11	34				141
Stallings Memorial	Mrs. W. R. Hoover, 1620 S. Main St., Salisbury, 28144	1	1			2	1		2	1	1	9	106	11			26	17		20	8	3	191
Trading Ford	Mrs. Grady Queen, Route 4, Salisbury, 28144	1	1		1			1				4	76	16		19			12				123
Trinity	Mrs. E. A. Camp, 600 Carolina Ave., Spencer, 28159	1		1		1	1		1	1	1	7	28		7		5	13		4	3	2	62
West Corinth	Mrs. R. W. Coone, Route 3, Mooresville, 28115	2		1		1	1	1				6	27		8		4	5	12				56
West Park	Mrs. Helen Sprinkle, Route 2, Rockwell, 28138	1										1	15										15
Wyatt's Grove	Mrs. Jack Thomas, Route 1, Box 188, Richfield, 28137	1										1	15										15
Yadkin	Mrs. Tommy Lanning, Box 1100, Salisbury, 28144	1										1	20										20
Franklin Mission	Mrs. Margie Shoaf, Statesville Rd., Salisbury, 28144	1			1				1			3	11			10				3			24
Oakland Heights Mis	Mrs. Pearl Beck, P. O. Box 465, East Spencer, 28039	1										1	14										14
TOTALS		38	8	7	6	18	23	10	21	14	8	153	1318	81	49	63	159	246	129	192	120	43	2401

CHURCHES	CHURCH LIBRARIANS AND ADDRESSES (Include ZIP Code)	Cooperative Program % of Total Budget	Assoc. Mis. Goal Comin Year, % of Total Budg	Value of Pastor's Home	Value of Church Property Including Pastor's Home	Money Spent on New Construction, Property for Local Church	Total Church Debt at End of Year	Total Amount Paid on Church Debt This Assoc. Year	Does Church Have Library?	Planned Reading Program?	Audio-Visuals?	Vertical File(s),
Calvary	Miss Louise Montgomery, 1327 Parkview Circle, Salisbury, 28144	20%	400.	12,000	130,000	2,063			*	**	**	**
Canaan	None			11,500	33,650		21,489	1,897	**			
China Grove: First	Mrs. Nancy Scarbrough, 905 Klondale, China Grove, 28023	12%		5,000	153,500		19,500	7,176	*	**	*	*
China Grove: South	None	4.1%	1.4%	15,000	100,000		3,430	2,400	**			
Community	None	100.			25,000		11,686	1,790	**			
Cooleemee: First	None	18%	2%	30,000	195,000	30,000	18,000	5,778	**			
Corriher Heights	None				40,000		1,900	541	**			
Dunn's Mountain	Miss Jo Ella Furr, Route 5, Salisbury, 28144	10%	2%	10,000	195,000	1,309			*	**	*	*
East Corinth	None	7%	4%	10,000	65,000	150			**			
East Spencer: First	None	10%	110.	16,000	37,500				**			
Eastside	None	10%		6,000	25,000				**			
Emmanuel	Mrs. Margaret Y. Thomas, 630 E. Cemetery St., Salisbury, 28144	12%	2%	23,000	111,000		14,777	1,920	*	**	*	**
Enon	Miss Jovetta Myers, Route 6, Salisbury, 28144	12.8%	1.5%	20,000	120,000		8,000	13,218	*	**	*	*
Faith	Mrs. B. Lester Huff, Box 84, Faith, 28041	35%	2%	16,500	200,000		41,537	7,162	*	*	*	*
Gold Hill	None			8,500	16,500	666			**			
Grace	None	2%	3%									
Landis	None			18,000	279,000	29,565		29,565	**	**	**	**
Milford Hills	Mrs. Ellene E. McIntyre, Route 6, Salisbury, 28144	4%	1%	30,000	130,000	5,103	31,875	5,247	*	*	*	*
Needmore	None	4%		20,000	40,500		4,995	1,973	**			
North Main Street	None	14%		26,364	117,910	24,364	15,720	2,800	**			
Oakdale	Mrs. Herman Hood, 210 N. Long Street, Salisbury, 28144	10%	1½%	7,600	105,500	1,500			*	**	**	**
Pine Ridge	None	8%	4%	4,000	45,000		7,459	1,164	*	**	**	*
Providence	None				20,000	460	6,148	460	**			
Rockwell	Mrs. J. G. Puckett, Route 1, Rockwell, 28138				40,000				*	**	**	**
Rowan Mills	None											
Salisbury: First	Mrs. Ed. Poe, 309 Spring Drive, Salisbury, 28144	15%	2%	25,000	925,000		227,000	31,000	*	**	*	*
Southside	None		100.	26,000	130,000	4,500	36,000	4,800	**			
Spencer: First	None			25,000	300,000		22,063	7,150	*			
Stallings Memorial	Mrs. C. Reuben Hellard, 1931 Rosemont Ave., Salisbury, 28144	13%	1½%	12,000	265,000	12,500	26,000	16,286	*	**	*	*
Trading Ford	None	5¼%	1½%	20,000	160,000	5,504	11,041	6,680	*			
Trinity	None	10%	3%	10,000	80,000	309	6,007	888	*			*
West Corinth	Miss Bessie M. Carter, Route 3, Mooresville, 28115	12%	3%	12,000	85,000		16,488	3,870	*	**	**	**
West Park	None			18,000	40,000	2,177	14,827	2,161	**	**	**	**
Wyatt's Grove	None	⅓%	½%	11,600	50,600	6	1,020	1,831	**			
Yadkin	None	4%	4%	10,000	20,000	2,000	8,175	825				
Franklin Mission	Miss Ann Collins, Route 1, Box 122, Salisbury, 28144	12%	6%				26,000	4,291	*	**	*	*
Oakland Heights Mission	None				25,000		8,771	1,874				
TOTALS				459,064	4,305,660	122,176	609,908	164,747				

* Denotes Yes
** Denotes No

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TABLE H TOTAL RECEIPTS, LOCAL EXPENDITURES, AND STEWARDSHIP INFORMATION

CHURCHES	TREASURERS AND ADDRESSES (Include ZIP Code) Assoc. Treas—Charles E. Summers 901 Richard St., Salisbury	Cooperative Program % of Budget	Total Receipts From Gifts	Pastor's Salary	Other Church Staff Salaries	Exp. on Local Missions Operated by Church	All Other Local Expenditures	Total Local Expenditures	Number of Tithers	Budget Prom. or Emphasis Used			
										None	Forward Program	Growth in C. Stewardship	Other
Calvary	Miss B. Katherine Curlee, Route 8, Box 91, Salisbury, 28144	20%	24,221	5,582	1,720	675	8,878	16,855	110	*			
Canaan	Lawrence Watts, Faith, 28041		8,038	2,080			5,279	7,359	30	*			
China Grove: First	Sam R. May, Jr., Box 105, China Grove, 28023	12%	28,499	5,893	3,030		13,664	22,588	102		*		
China Grove: South	G. W. Freeze, P. O. Box 123, China Grove, 28023	4.1%	13,413	5,430	862		5,903	12,195	25				*
Community	Roy F. Daugherty, Route 2, China Grove, 28023	100.	5,812	1,620	486	30	1,814	3,950	22	*			
Cooleemee: First	Frank Garwood, Box 134, Cooleemee, 27014	18%	32,406	5,600	3,511		16,054	25,165					*
Corriher Heights	Mrs. Ruby Cook, Route 3, China Grove, 28023		4,255	2,156			2,121	4,277	12				
Dunn's Mountain	S. A. Mayfield, Route 5, Box 635A, Salisbury, 28144	10%	22,557	4,760	1,899		7,500	14,159	70	*			
East Corinth	J. D. Goodman, Route 1, Box 58B, Gold Hill, 28071	7%	9,103	3,760	360		2,350	6,470	32	*			
East Spencer: First	James W. Bean, Route 4, Salisbury, 28144	10%	7,648	3,900	312	508	1,237	5,957	17			*	
Eastside	W. A. Livengood, Route 5, Box 563, Salisbury, 28144	10%	5,551	2,005	156		1,107	3,268	14	*			
Emmanuel	Richard Eller, 427 E. Innes Street, Salisbury, 28144	12%	21,418	5,720	2,200		10,185	18,105	32				
Enon	Mrs. Harold B. Cartner, Route 1, Box 176A, Woodleaf, 27054	12.8%	29,605	4,548	2,988		12,571	20,107			*		
Faith	J. C. Eagle, Box 111, Route 3, Salisbury, 28144	35%	31,865	5,616	1,320		14,712	21,648	111			*	
Gold Hill	Harry Lee Beaver, Route 2, China Grove, 28023		5,917	3,245	260		2,898	6,403	20	*			
Grace	James Hubbard, 608 W. Eighth Street, Kannapolis, 28081	2%	17,060	5,200	1,790		8,765	15,755	45				*
Landis	Herman Rutledge, Villa Avenue, Kannapolis, 28081		80,100	7,295	9,185	1,802	53,976	72,258	175	*			
Milford Hills	James B. Edwards, 137 Milford Drive, Salisbury, 28144	4%	20,660	4,770	1,755		12,116	18,641	25				*
Needmore	Mrs. R. C. West, Route 1, Woodleaf, 27054	4%	10,409	4,340	225		4,234	8,799	28	*			
North Main Street	J. H. Brower, 202 East 14th Street, Salisbury, 28144	14%	24,350	4,940	2,311		32,991	40,242	78	*			
Oakdale	J. C. Coppley, 115 Herman Street, Spencer, 28159	10%	29,395	6,500	3,381		7,697	17,578	100			*	
Pine Ridge	Norman Valentine, 102 W. Eighteenth St., Kannapolis, 28081	8%	10,807	3,160	620		905	4,685	33				
Providence	Miss Nora Poteat, 101 W. Heilig Street, East Spencer, . 28039		4,441	3,640			748	4,388					*
Rockwell	Wentworth Beck, Faith, 28041		12,085	4,160		359	2,123	6,642		*			
Rowan Mills	J. T. Franks, Route 2, Box 850, Salisbury, 28144		20,221	4,680	720		15,900	21,300					
Salisbury: First	T. A. Porter, 1039 Holmes Street, Salisbury, 28144	15%	114,000	10,000	26,400	830	82,770	120,000		*			
Southside	Charles R. Evans, Route 2, Salisbury, 28144		16,000	4,680	1,200		5,477	11,357	35	*			
Spencer: First	A. A. Lomax, 901 Fifth Street, Spencer, 28159		36,372	7,080	4,835	5	16,526	28,446		*			
Stallings Memorial	Charles E. Summers, 901 Richard Street, Salisbury, 28144	13%	64,900	7,800	7,785		36,954	52,539	200				*
Trading Ford	Elon F. Massey, Route 4, Box 493, Salisbury, 28144	5¼%	35,676	6,885	2,513	1,733	28,489	39,620	125	*			
Trinity	Mrs. L. D. Eller, P. O. Box 344, Spencer, 28159	10%	16,701	4,200	1,040		10,505	15,745	30	*			
West Corinth	R. W. Coone, Route 3, Mooresville, 28115	12%	15,641	3,950	780		7,638	12,368	44				
West Park	Jack B. Johnson, Box 123, Granite Quarry, 28072		13,842	4,780	600		3,313	8,693	40				*
Wyatt's Grove	Hubert File, Route 4, Box 248, Salisbury, 28144	⅓%	8,048	4,160	480		845	5,485	17	*			
Yadkin	Charlie Wilkerson, Box 1100, Salisbury, 28144	4%	8,866	4,160	290		2,395	6,845	35	*			
Franklin Mission	Terry Ennis, 1714 S. Second Street, Salisbury, 28144	12%	11,820	3,730			294	4,024	41			*	
Oakland Heights Mission	R. T. Byrd, Route 8, Box 716, Salisbury, 28144		5,681	961			1,748	2,709	12				
TOTALS			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]				

CHURCHES	CLERKS OF CHURCHES AND ADDRESSES (Include ZIP Code) Assoc. Missionary—Rev. John E. Carter Box 187, Faith	Cooperative Program	Associational Missions	Designated: State Missions	Designated: S.B.C. Home Missions	Designated: S.B.C. Foreign Missions	Designated: Christian Education, Schools	Designated: Children's Homes	Designated: Hospitals	Designated: Home for Aged	Other desig. objects (Bible Soc., Temperance League, etc.)	Total Mission Expenditures
Calvary	Frank Sides, Route 8, Box 162, Salisbury, 28144	3,782	425	136	130	1,963	28	303	257	91	100	7,215
Canaan	Mrs. J. D. Hogsed, Route 3, Box 603, Salisbury, 28144				232	255						487
China Grove: First	Flake Sechler, 710 S. Main St., Salisbury, 28144	2,608	515		140	716	200	104	78	104		4,465
China Grove: South	Mrs. Clinton Abernathy, Route 7, Salisbury, 28144	300	200	13	32	97		28	62		37	769
Community	Mrs. George Denham, Jr., 111 Seventh Street, Spencer, 28159	100			5	10					80	195
Cooleemee: First	Mrs. David Cover, Box 36, Cooleemee, 27014	5,600	615		671	1,305		200	200		150	8,741
Corriher Heights	Mrs. S. I. Hooper, 2805 Vale Avenue, Kannapolis, 28081											
Dunn's Mountain	Donald J. Livengood, Route 5, Box 91, Salisbury, 28144	1,800	500	256	251	1,153	246	229	244	122	115	4,916
East Corinth	Mrs. Irene A. Morgan, Route 1, Box 47A, Gold Hill, 28071	598	320	7	24	27		16				992
East Spencer: First	Mrs. Richard C. Gobble, Route 8, Box 510, Salisbury, 28144	590	110	32	59	125	39	30				985
Eastside	Mrs. Bernard Trexler, Route 5, Box 449, Salisbury, 28144	541	60	58	75	394	16	174	53	29	10	1,410
Emmanuel	Mrs. Lillie Messick, 525A Park Avenue, Salisbury, 28144	2,215	307	30	131	323	11	49	34		11	3,111
Enon	Richard A. Wood, Route 1, Box 216, Salisbury, 28144	3,034	400		140	771		678	84		132	5,239
Faith	W. J. Ritchie, Box 82, Faith, 28041	7,302	463	29	249	938		71	54			9,106
Gold Hill	Wayne Taylor, P. O. Box 143, Gold Hill, 28071	16	15			7		25	7	15	5	90
Grace	Mrs. Lois Hubbard, 608 W. Eighth Street, Kannapolis, 28081	240	35	5	30	490	25	26	31		718	1,600
Landis	Reid Benfield, Route 7, Box 447, Salisbury, 28144		330			4,463	300	860	500			6,453
Milford Hills	Grady K. Day, 206 17th Street, Spencer, 28159	550	50	66	296	703	125	96	98	18	26	2,028
Needmore	Miss Gladys Safriet, Route 1, Woodleaf, 27054	394	128		70	93	527	8	10			1,230
North Main Street	Mrs. W. R. Davis, 305 N. Milford Drive, Salisbury, 28144	2,428	375	92	148	302	8	148	48	51	58	3,658
Oakdale	Miss Frances Easter, 505 N. Yadkin Avenue, Spencer, 28159	3,063	540	134	215	1,107	50	1,018	108	50	987	7,272
Pine Ridge	Mrs. Bobby Scercy, Route 2, China Grove, 28023	883	394	23		200						1,500
Providence	Mrs. Olene Lloyd, 309 Henderson Street, East Spencer, 28039		20	8	11	15						54
Rockwell	Mrs. Sebe Cauble, Route 1, Box 20A, Gold Hill, 28071	600	120		33	24		110				887
Rowan Mills	Mrs. Hayden Miller, Route 2, Box 765-C, Salisbury, 28144		125	100	100	350		356	250	100	150	1,531
Salisbury: First	Mrs. S. S. Dibrell, 931 Maple Avenue, Salisbury, 28144	2,000	2,000	248	816	2,811	18	388	205	184	43	8,713
Southside	Mrs. S. K. Basinger, Route 7, Box 200A, Salisbury, 28144		25		328	514	360	28			130	1,385
Spencer: First	Mrs. J. C. Scruggs, 198 N. Yadkin Avenue, Spencer, 28159	5,700	675	133	289	800	18	100	92	135		7,942
Stallings Memorial	James C. Elium, Route 5, Box 705, Salisbury, 28144	6,530	1,200	222	141	1,400		120	127		150	9,890
Trading Ford	Elon F. Massey, Route 4, Box 493, Salisbury, 28144	1,860	540	100	520	1,001	50	132	280	134	352	4,969
[illegible]	Mrs. Otis Ragan, Route 8, Box 60B, Salisbury, 28144	1,340	300	7	120	129		120				2,016
West Corinth	Miss Bessie M. Carter, Route 3, Mooresville, 28115	1,514	373	33	84	313		9	43	20	78	2,467
West Park	Mrs. James Rogers, Route 2, Rockwell, 28138							28	30			58
Wyatt's Grove	Mrs. Larry Morgan, Route 1, Box 187, Richfield, 28137	20	30	20	38	26		35	31			200
Yadkin	Tommy Lanning, Box 1100, Salisbury, 28144	535	313		42	84		76	100			1,150
Franklin Mission	Terry Ennis, 1714 S. Second Street, Salisbury, 28144	1,275	104	50	100	250		50	40			1,869
Oakland Heights Mission	Mrs. Louise Newsome, Route 4, Box 39, Salisbury, 28144			24	50	33		18	11			136
TOTALS		57,418	11,607	1,826	5,570	23,192	2,021	5,633	3,077	1,053	3,332	114,729

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THE HISTORICAL TABLE—ROWAN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Year	Where Held	Preacher	Moderator	Clerk
1927	Salisbury, First	R. N. Huneycutt	C. A. Rhyne	Percy Bloxam
1928	Stallings Memorial	M. W. Gordon	C. A. Rhyne	Percy Bloxam
1929	China Grove, First	J. H. Harris	G. W. Choate	Percy Bloxam
1930	North Main Street	E. L. Bradley	G. W. Choate	R. S. Lennon
1931	Enon	R. O. Brinkley	G. W. Choate	C. W. Crowell
1932	Trading Ford	F. W. Frye	G. W. Choate	C. W. Crowell
1933	North Kannapolis	Arch C. Cree	G. W. Choate	C. W. Crowell
1934	Rockwell	C. A. Rhyne	G. W. Choate	A. L. Jarrell
1935	Oakdale	W. H. James	C. A. Rhyne	A. L. Jarrell
1936	Wyatt's Grove	C. L. Fisher	C. A. Rhyne	A. L. Jarrell
1937	Calvary	D. H. Lowder	C. A. Rhyne	A. L. Jarrell
1938	East Spencer	H. T. Davis	C. A. Rhyne	A. L. Jarrell
1939	Enon	A. L. Campbell	C. A. Rhyne	A. L. Jarrell
1940	West Corinth	L. R. Evans	C. A. Rhyne	A. L. Jarrell
1941	Faith	O. W. Funderburk	R. O. Brinkley	A. L. Jarrell
1942	Salisbury, First	D. L. Woodward	R. O. Brinkley	A. L. Jarrell
1943	Landis	R. W. Harrington	C. A. Rhyne	A. L. Jarrell
1944	North Main Street	Smoot Baker	C. A. Rhyne	A. L. Jarrell
1945	Trading Ford and Salisbury, First	R. A. Ellis	C. A. Rhyne	A. L. Jarrell
1946	Faith and Calvary	E. L. Melton	T. W. Bray	R. A. Ellis
1947	Enon and East Corinth	Clay R. Barnes	R. O. Brinkley	R. A. Ellis
1948	West Corinth and Phaniels	J. C. Hill	R. O. Brinkley	R. A. Ellis
1949	Salisbury, First and Wyatt's Grove	F. P. Blankenship	Clay R. Barnes	R. A. Ellis
1950	Landis and Dunn's Mountain	R. C. Cline	Clay R. Barnes	O. D. Moore
1951	Spencer, First and Salisbury, First and Rockwell	J. C. Gwaltney	N. C. Teague	O. D. Moore
1952	Stallings Memorial and South China Grove	E. H. Potts	N. C. Teague	O. D. Moore
1953	Oakdale and Enon	R. N. Huneycutt	R. O. Brinkley	O. D. Moore
1954	Trading Ford and Grace	O. D. Moore	R. N. Huneycutt	James L. McCoy
1955	Calvary and Phaniels	R. L. Deneen	R. N. Huneycutt	James L. McCoy
1956	Stallings and China Grove, First	J. W. Allen	E. H. Potts	James L. McCoy
1957	Salisbury, First and Southside	J. A. Richardson	Herman G. Matheny	James L. McCoy
1958	Dunn's Mountain and Rowan Mills	J. H. Simpson	Herman G. Matheny	James L. McCoy
1959	Salisbury, First and Faith	Clyde D. Chapman	Herman G. Matheny	James L. McCoy
1960	Stallings Memorial and Enon	W. J. Stephenson	John H. Simpson	James L. McCoy
1961	Trading Ford and East Spencer	B. Lester Huff	John H. Simpson	James L. McCoy
1962	Spencer, First and Milford Hills	H. M. Hocutt	Clyde D. Chapman	James L. McCoy
1963	Salisbury, First and Rockwell	M. P. Boggs	Clyde D. Chapman	James L. McCoy
1964	Trading Ford and Rowan Mills	Hayden M. Cartner	H. M. Hocutt	James L. McCoy
1965	Dunn's Mountain and West Corinth	Marvin W. Dameron	H. M. Hocutt	James L. McCoy
1966	Salisbury, First and Calvary	John E. Carter	B. Lester Huff	James L. McCoy

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CONSTITUTION

Adopted October 25, 1961

CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS

I. Name

This body shall be known as the Rowan Baptist Association.

II. Object

The object of this Association shall be to devise and promote measures for increasing the harmony and spiritual power of the churches within our bounds, to recommend plans for advancing the work of our Lord throughout the earth, and to cooperate with our Baptist State Convention and our Southern Baptist Convention in spiritual advance in such areas as Sunday School, Training Union, Woman's Missionary Union, Men's Brotherhood and Church Music, with the understanding that cooperation with the State and Southern Conventions is purely voluntary.

III. Membership

This body shall be composed of the ordained Baptist Ministers who are pastors of cooperating churches, our Associational Missionary, and messengers chosen and certified by the churches. Each church shall be entitled to two messengers for the first fifty members or any part thereof, and one messenger for each fifty above that number, provided no church shall be entitled to more than ten messengers. It shall be the duty of the churches to correspond annually with the Association by letter and messengers, and give in not only their statistical information but also facts concerning the general welfare and to send contributions to pay the expenses of the Association. The Clerk shall furnish the churches with two printed forms for their annual report, these to be mailed at least six weeks before the annual session of the Association, and the churches are requested to have the letters in the hands of the Clerk not less than two weeks before the meeting of the Association.

IV: Officers

The officers of the Association shall be Moderator, Associate Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Historian, Sunday School Superintendent, Training Union Director, Brotherhood President, W.M.U. President, and Music Director. These shall be elected annually for a term of one year with the understanding that the Moderator will automatically retire after having served two complete terms. The

term of office shall begin at the conclusion of the annual meeting of the Association and continue until the close of the next session or until their successors are elected.

V. TRUSTEES

In addition to the above named officers, the Association shall elect three trustees each year who shall hold in trust all property and effects of the Assocation, take care of and keep the same in repair, accept gifts for the Association and perform all other duties which the Association may declare, according to the laws of the State of North Carolina.

VI. MEETINGS

The Association will meet annually on the Tuesday and Wednesday after the fourth Sunday in October, and can be called into extra session if necessary by a majority vote of the Executive-Promotion Committee. All such sessions shall be conducted as prescribed in Kerfoot's "Parliamentary Law".

VII. POWERS AND PREROGATIVES

The Association shall have no power whatever to infringe upon the rights or usefulness of the churches. It may advise or recommend measures of usefulness for their adoption and guidance, but cannot bind them in any way. The churches constituting the Association shall each retain complete autonomy under Christ as supreme Head, Lawgiver, Governor and Lord over His churches, and unite only that they may more successfully promote the cause of Christ throughout the world. In case any conflict of interpretation shall arise as between this section and any other section of this constitution the interpretation of this section shall have precedence over the other.

VIII. COOPERATING CHURCHES

Any group of baptized believers in Christ, organized into a church, earnestly seeking to cooperate with our Baptist work in the Rowan Association, The Baptist State Convention, and the Southern Baptist Convention, having been received into the fellowship of this association shall be considered a cooperating church.

IX. COMMITTEES

1. *Executive-Promotion Committee.* The Executive-Promotion Committee shall be composed of the duly elected officers of the

Association, the Pastors of all the churches within the Association and one Representative from each cooperating church. The duties of this committee shall be to carry out the policies and will of the Association in the interim between its annual sessions. The Committee shall not take any action contrary to the will of the Association or which would initiate any new policies of procedures. In an adequate emergency this committee may take such action as may be deemed necessary to conditions arising after the annual meeting of the Association. This committee shall meet quarterly, the time and place to be decided upon by the committee. The Moderator shall serve as chairman of this committee. This committee shall make a full report of its activities to the Association at its annual session.

2. *Other Committees.* The Association may constitute, instruct and discharge committees that may be necessary for the proper conduct of its affairs and promotion of its activities. These committees and a copy of their instructions shall be made a part of the minutes of the association each year.

X. AMENDMENTS

Any section of this constitution may be amended at any regular session of the Association by a two-thirds vote of the messengers present, provided the amendment is presented to the Association on the first day and voted on and passed on favorably the second day, or that notice shall be given during the meeting in one year and voted upon favorably the following year.

BY-LAWS

1. The Moderator shall be in complete charge of all meetings of the Association or the Executive-Promotion Committee.

2. In the conduct of business Kerfoot's "Parliamentary Law" shall be followed.

3. These By-Laws may be amended at any time by majority vote of the Association.

By - Laws

COMMITTEES OF THE ASSOCIATION

1. *Associational Missions Committee.* This committee shall consist of seven members. Its duties shall be to assist our Associational Missionary in every way possible, to seek out places where Baptist work is needed, and to work with our Associational Missionary or a sponsoring church in establishing such work. The chairman of this committee shall make a report at the annual meeting of our Association on the work of our Missionary for the preceding twelve months period. In the event that the Association should find itself without a Missionary, this committee shall, with the assistance of the Executive-Promotion Committee, endeavor to locate a suitable person for the office. When it seems that such person has been found the committee shall bring its report to the Executive-Promotion Committee for its approval or rejection.

2. *Committee on Reception of New Churches.* A committee of 3 members, elected by the Assocation shall receive and study petitions from churches desiring fellowship in this association and make recommendations to the association regarding the disposition of such petitions. These petitions should be presented to the committee at least two weeks prior to the annual meeting of the association.

3. *Finance Committee.* This committee shall keep itself informed concerning the financial needs of the Association. It shall see to it that all expenditures are kept within the budget, and supervise all financial matters. Along with its annual report to the Association it shall bring a proposed budget based upon the needs of the associational program, and the ability of the churches to support this program. This proposed budget shall be presented to the Executive-Promotion Committee at the July meeting for adoption and distributed to the churches immediately thereafter.

4. *Audio-Visual Aids Committee.* The Associational Missionary, together with four other members, shall constitute this committee, with the Missionary serving as chairman. This committee shall have charge of all visual aid equipment of the Association and keep same in good repair. It shall recommend to the Executive-Promotion Committee additional purchases of this equipment when such is to the best interest of the Association, and if the cost of such purchase is above the amount set aside in the budget for this purpose. The equipment shall be made available for use by the churches in the promotion of the entire Associational program. When this equipment is borrowed and put to use by any church or organization of the association it is to be returned promptly to the office of the Missionary. Those who use this equipment shall be requested to handle same with care and to be responsible for any damage other than normal wear.

5. *Program Committee.* This committee shall be composed of the Moderator and four members at large to be appointed by the Moderator. The duties of the committee shall be to plan the programs of the annual Association.

6. *Committee on Committees.* This committee shall be appointed by the Moderator to serve for a period of one year and shall be composed of five members whose duties shall be to recommend the appointment of the standing committees and to name any other committees called for by the Association, such as, Associational Missions, Associational Membership, Obituary Committee, Committee on Public Morals and Civic Righteousness, Finance Committee, Radio and Television Committee, Committee on Time, Place and Preacher, Committee on Resolutions, Nominating Committee, Music Committee, and the representatives of the various boards and institutions supported by the North Carolina Baptist Convention.

7. *Obituary Committee.* The Obituary Committee shall conduct a brief service at the annual meeting of our Association in memory of those members from the various churches who have been called to their heavenly home.

8. *Committee on Public Morals and Civic Righteousness.* The duties of this committee shall be to inform themselves as to the moral conditions and practices in our midst, to study these conditions, to use their influence to promote high ethical standards of life and conduct on the part of our people, and to give a report of their work at the annual meeting of the Association.

9. *Radio and Television Committee.* It shall be the duty of this committee to give encouragement to the local radio and television stations in the use they are now making of their facilities in broadcasting morning devotions, the broadcast and telecast of the programs of the Radio-Television Commission of Southern Baptists, and other desirable programs of a religious nature. This committee shall further seek to enlist the cooperation of these stations when special efforts are underway on an Associational-wide basis, to the end that our Baptist work might be duly publicized and brought to the attention of the people of our country. A report of this committee's work shall be given at the annual Associational meeting.

10. *Committee on Time, Place, and Preacher.* This committee shall recommend the meeting place for our annual Association, state the time, and recommend a minister and an alternate for the annual sermon. This shall be reported to the Association in annual session.

11. *Committee on Resolutions.* It shall be the duty of this committee to draw up suitable resolutions relating to the hospitality of the host church or churches, the service rendered by the

visiting speakers, the work of the Associational Officers, and other pertinent matters that should be included in this committee's report.

12. *The Nominating Committee.* It shall be the duty of this committee to recommend to the Annual Session of the Association prospective officers for the coming year as provided for under Section IV of the Constitution, including Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Associate Clerk and Statistician, Treasurer, Chorister, and Pianist. The heads of organizations (Sunday School, Brotherhood, Training Union, Music, and Women's Missionary Union) shall be recommended for election at the April meeting of the Executive-Promotion Committee. Other organizational leadership shall be nominated in cooperation with the organizational heads and recommended, for election, to the July meeting of the Executive-Promotion Committee. W.M.U. Officers will be suggested to the Nominating Committee in keeping with the W.M.U. By-Laws.

13. *Music Committee.* This committee shall offer suggestions and guidance in the selection of the type of music that is desirable in worship and in our varied Associational and church activities. It shall plan, at such times as seem opportune, for a week of instruction in church music, and also seek as it has opportunity, to encourage all of our people to manifest a greater interest in this vital phase of our Lord's work.

14. *Camp Development Committee.* This committee shall have general supervision of the Associational camp which is located in the eastern part of Rowan County. It shall inform our people about the scheduled activities and opportunities offered at the camp and also of the rules and regulations that are to govern its use. The above committee shall promote the use of this camp to the end that it may serve a high and worthwhile purpose as a center for Christian activities by all departments of the Associational program. Only such activities as tend toward the development of Christian character shall be encouraged by the committee.

15. *Historical Committee.* This committee shall be composed of three members elected by the Association. The duties of this committee shall be to adequately preserve the records of the activity within the Association that may be of interest to further generations.

16. *Evangelism Committee.* This committee shall be composed of five members elected by the Association and shall head the Association in a program of New Testament Evangelism in cooperation with the North Carolina Baptist Convention's Department of Evangelism.

17. *Committee to Study the Constitution and By-Laws.* A com-

mittee of three members, elected by the Association shall study the Constitution and By-Laws and make recommendations for changes as needed.

18. All of our Churches in the Association are requested to assist the host church(s) in entertaining the Association for the Annual Session.

19. The Moderator and the Associational Missionary be ex officio members of all committees and be notified of all meetings held by each committee.

Proceedings

RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS
OF THE
FORTIETH ANNUAL SESSION
OF THE
ROWAN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

THEME:

"The Ministering Church"

SCRIPTURE — MARK 10:45

TUESDAY

MORNING SESSION

1. The Fortieth Annual Session of the Rowan Baptist Association opened at the Stallings Memorial Baptist Church, 817 South Main Street, Salisbury, at 9:30 A.M. with the Moderator Rev. B. Lester Huff, presiding. Rev. Charles P. Burchette led the group in singing "The Church's One Foundation", with Mrs. E. H. Potts at the organ and Mrs. Earle Blalock at the piano. Rev. W. S. Rollings, Pastor of the Pine Ridge Baptist Church, led the devotionals using 1st John and led in prayer. Rev. Hayden Cartner, Pastor of the host church, extended words of welcome and gave instructions as to the facilities available.

2. James L. McCoy moved that the Messengers now enrolled and those that will enroll constitute the enrollment of Messengers of the Rowan Baptist Association and upon proper second, the motion carried. Mr. McCoy also moved that the program as now printed, with any necessary changes, constitute the order of business. This motion carried.

3. James L. McCoy, Clerk, was recognized and gave the report of the Executive-Promotion Committee and Digest of Church Letters. Visitors were recognized and welcomed to the meeting. Rev. John Carter, Associational Missionary, was recognized and welcomed the new Pastors to the Rowan Baptist Association, and they were as follows: Rev. L. S. Bullard, Enon Baptist Church, Rev. Wade H. James, Needmore Baptist Church, Rev. W. S. Rollings, Pine Ridge Baptist Church, Rev. Carl Kincaid, Franklin Mission, Rev. Kenneth Payne, Oakland Heights Mission, Rev. Clarence Jenkins, Southside Baptist Church, Rev. LeRoy Cooper, Rowan Mills Baptist Church, Rev. J. D. Wall, Providence Baptist Church, Rev. Joe Newton, Yadkin Baptist Church. Rev. Ronald McSwain,

Pastor of Dunn's Mountain Baptist Church, was recognized and made announcement of scheduled seven-day tour to Switzerland available to members of the Rowan Association. Rev. Charles P. Burchette led the group in singing "To God Be The Glory", and "I Love Thy Kingdom Lord."

REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE-PROMOTION COMMITTEE

The Rowan Baptist Executive-Promotion Committee met four times the past Associational Year. All of these meetings were held at the First Baptist Church, Salisbury, N. C.

At the January 1967 meeting reports were received from the various organizations of the Association. The Treasurer's report for the quarter ended December 31, 1966 showed total receipts of $4,430.66, disbursements of $2,883.55, and a balance on hand December 31, 1966 of $1,547.11. Rev. Larry Linker, new Pastor of the Community church, was recognized and welcomed into the Rowan Association.

The second quarterly meeting of the new year was held on May 2, 1967. The Nominating Committee presented the following nominees: Sunday School Supt.—Herman Blakeman, Training Union Director—Ronald Queen, Brotherhood President—Alvin Morris, Music Director—Mrs. Earle Blalock, W.M.U. President—Mrs. J. C. Scruggs. This report was adopted. A report from the Missions Committee was given by Mr. Graham Carlton, stating that the Trading Ford Church requests that the work of the Oakland Heights Mission be turned over to the Rowan Baptist Association for supervision and sponsorship. Mr. Carlton stated that the Trading Ford church will continue to pay $75.00 per month until the present loan indebtedness is satisfied. He further stated that the Trading Ford church will turn over title to the property to the Rowan Baptist Association subject to the indebtedness. A motion carried for adoption of the recommendation from the Missions Committee that the Association grant this request. The Executive-Promotion Committee approved the date of April 6-20, 1969 as the time for observance of the 1969 Crusade of the Americas. The Committee also approved the offer of the State Department of Evangelism to match expense of the Chairman of Evangelism to Ridgecrest up to $15.00, and mileage up to 4¢ per mile. Action was taken to accept the offer of the Baptist State Convention for a committee to assist in training workers to aid in the work of juvenile delinquency.

The third quarterly meeting was held on July 18, 1967. The proposed budget for the Rowan Baptist Association for the fiscal year 1967-68 was presented by Mr. Graham Carlton, Chairman of

the Missions Committee, and approved by the Executive-Promotion Committee. Mr. Carlton reported that before the deed to the Oakland Heights Mission property could be transferred, a pledge of the Rowan Baptist Association's Savings Account must be made, or personal endorsement/s must be obtained. A motion by Mr. Carlton carried that the Savings Account of the Rowan Baptist Association be pledged against the indebtedness to be assumed by the Association upon transfer of this property. The Executive-Promotion Committee approved a suggestion that the Rowan Association participate in a Director-Led Sunday School Enlargement Campaign to be conducted late in September or early October of 1968, and that this be placed on the calendar of activities with the member-churches to be encouraged to participate. Mr. Ernest Upchurch of the Baptist State Convention was present and made a presentation on Juvenile Delinquency.

The final meeting of the Executive-Promotion Committee for the Associational Year was held on October 10, 1967. The Committee voted approval of a recommendation coming from the Audio Visual Aids Committee that the Rowan Association purchase a new Bell & Howell, Model 550, 16 mm Projector for a price of $410.00 to be paid for $180.00 at billing, $180.00 in twelve months, and $50.00 at the end of two years; and that the Association also purchase a new Film Strip Projector for approximately $75.00 cost. The final meeting of the Executive-Promotion Committee for the Associational Year adjourned with prayer by Rev. John Carter.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES L. McCOY, Clerk

4. Mr. Charles Summers, Associational Treasurer, was recognized and gave the Treasurer's report. Motion carried for acceptance of the report as given.

ROWAN BAPTIST ASSOCIATIONAL FINANCIAL REPORT:

October 1, 1966-September 30, 1967

RECEIPTS:

	Budget:	Schools of Missions;
Calvary	$ 400.00	$ 75.00
Canaan	420.61	75.00
China Grove, First	443.21	100.00
China Grove, South	210.04	00.00
Community	140.00	25.00
Cooleemee, First	717.24	00.00
Corriher Heights	000.00	00.00
Dunns Mt.	500.00	85.00
East Corinth	227.56	31.75
East Spencer, First	110.00	35.25
Eastside	60.00	50.00
Emmanuel	407.59	50.00
Enon	429.88	00.00
Faith	528.00	75.00
Gold Hill	20.00	00.00
Grace	36.37	50.00
Landis	480.00	100.00
Milford Hills	100.00	50.00
Needmore	120.00	80.00
North Main	375.00	75.00
Oakdale	600.00	100.00
Pine Ridge	434.50	45.00
Providence	20.00	00.00
Rockwell	120.00	50.00
Rowan Mills	100.00	00.00
Salisbury, First	1,625.00	235.75
Southside	100.00	00.00
Spencer, First	675.00	50.00
Stallings Memorial	1,425.00	175.00
Trading Ford	540.00	125.00
Trinity	305.00	71.00
West Corinth	489.69	00.00
West Park	5.00	00.00
Wyatts Grove	10.00	00.00
Yadkin	245.50	34.75
Franklin	96.00	20.00
Oakland Hgts.	10.00	22.50
State Con.	840.00	100.00
Parsonage Designated	100.85	
Designated Oakland Heights	150.00	
Missionary Supply	10.00	
Refund Yadkin Assoc'n.		100.00
Totals	$13,627.04	$2,086.00

Only Churches in Schools of Missions sent special offerings for that purpose.

DISBURSEMENTS & SUMMARY:

Balance: October 1, 1967		$1,110.93
Receipts:		
Churches	$12,526.19	
State Convention	840.00	
Designated Parsonage	100.85	
Schools of Missions	2,086.00	
Missionary Supply	10.00	
Oakland Heights Design.	150.00	
Total Receipts		15,713.04
Grand Total		$16,823.97

Disbursements:

Missionary Salary	$4,941.00	
Car Allowance	840.00	
Utilities	680.00	
Retirement	400.08	
Rent	693.00	
Telephone	125.46	
Christmas Gift	100.00	
Postage	180.00	
Office Supplies	257.19	
Training Union	89.39	
Sunday School	54.90	
Brotherhood	40.00	
Convention Expense	81.50	
Baptist Student Union	125.00	
Parsonage: Budget	1,800.00	
Printing	820.55	
Clerk's Fee	200.00	
Assistant Clerk's Fee	150.00	
Parsonage: Designated	100.85	
Parsonage: (Surplus)	1,675.00	
Oakland Hgts. Design.	150.00	
Schools of Missions	1,735.98	
Treasurer's Fee	125.00	
Total Disbursements		$15,364.96
Balance: Sept. 30, 1967		$1,459.07

On Deposit:

Home Savings and Loan		$ 9,642.31
Citizens Savings & Loan		11,687.51
Total		$21,329.82
Parsonage Fund	$19,000.00	
Camp Fund	2,329.82	
Total		$21,329.82

5. Rev. Ralph C. Hammett, Pastor of the North Main Baptist Church, was recognized and gave the report of Minister's Retirement. Motion for adoption of report carried. Rev. Hammett encouraged the churches to provide some type of coverage for their pastor. Rev. John Carter, Associational Missionary, was recognized and made remarks regarding coverage and some of the benefits of the Minister's Retirement Plan.

REPORT OF MINISTERS RETIREMENT

The Annuity Board of the Southern Baptist Convention has four phases of protection for ministers and for all personnel employed by the State or Southern Baptist Convention. It is possible for one to participate in one or all four of the proctection plan. The four phases are the basic protection plan where ten per cent of the pastor's salary is paid to the Annuity Board plus five per cent being paid by the State Convention. Most churches pay the ten per cent for the minister. A second phase is the life benefit plan which amounts to term insurance with an added feature. The added feature being that a participating minister will have $1,000.00 paid up life insurance upon retirement. The third phase is the variable annuity plan. Whatever amount a minister is able to place in the annuity protection plan above the basic protection. This variable annuity protection is an investment and draws what it earns in interest rates. The fourth phase is the health benefit plan which is a hospital, surgical and major medical protection.

During the State Convention a recommendation was adopted to broaden the protection plan. The entire family of the minister is now covered rather than the minister, or the widow of a minister. The plan has been standardized by all states in the Southern Baptist Convention. If a minister or a Convention worker moves from one state to another state the entire program is transferred to that state.

Today many people are receiving the protection provided by the Annuity Board. The tragedy is that there are so many pastors who are not yet enrolled in any phase of the protection plan. If your church does not provide the basic plan for your pastor there will never be a better time to begin this provision than now.

Respectfully submitted,
RALPH C. HAMMETT

6. Mr. Ernest Upchurch of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina was recognized and spoke on the Cooperative Program, Association and Church Extension Ministery, Social Service Program, and work to the Non-Evangelicals, especially Jews and Catholics.

7. Rev. Wade H. James, Pastor of the Needmore Baptist Church, was recognized and brought the report of Homes For The Aging. Motion for adoption of report carried.

NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST HOMES FOR THE AGING

Your North Carolina Baptist Homes for the Aging have been on the move during the past year. In fact, we will be ready to move into our new Home at Yanceyville in September and will be able to receive 30 more dear old people into the family of our Homes. When the Yanceyville Home, our fifth, is occupied, we will have a total of 200 deserving older men and women in our care in all of the Homes.

As you know, we now have four Homes and an Infirmary in operation, Resthaven and the Haynes Home in Winston-Salem; the Albemarle Home at Albemarle; the Hamilton Home at Hamilton.

In these Homes you have an eternal investment and can rejoice in the loving care which you are making possible for our older people. The majority are financially needy persons, and are supplemented through the love gift of North Carolina Baptists. Two sources of income from the churches are increasingly vital in the support of our residents-the Special Day Offering, received on the 3rd Sunday of February each year, and our share in the Cooperative Program.

The Special Day Offering for 1967 is at an all-time high and has increased by 10% over last year. This is most commendable, but when we face the reality of costs, which have advanced by 20%, and the maintenance of a new Home and the care of 30 additional residents at Yanceyville, we could face a real crisis during the next year, unless the gifts from our Baptist people continue to increase in proportion to our needs.

We wish to thank all of our Baptist people across the State who are enabling us to minister to the aging in Christ's Name, and we want all of you to know that each of your 5 Homes exists for the people from all over our great State. We could not operate without your love, your prayers, your concern, and your financial support.

In the midst of our joys have been our sorrows. Our oldest resident, Aunt Fannie Drumwright, passed away in June, just short of her 106th birthday. She came to live with us at the age of 93, and the 13 years of her presence with us have been a shining example of the special significance of a Christian ministry to older people. The compassionate nursing alone which this little lady received is reason enough to thank God for the people call-

ed Baptists, whose vision and concern for mankind have included the aging in answering the Master's call in the service of the Lord.

Respectfully submitted,

WADE H. JAMES

8. Rev. Charles P. Burchette, Pastor of the First Baptist Church, Cooleemee, moved that the report on Baptist Hospital be adopted without the reading of same. Rev. Burchette expressed his gratitude for the privilege of being able to attend a six-weeks program at the Baptist Hospital, Winston-Salem, N. C.

OUR BAPTIST MEDICAL CENTER: THE NEW DAY IN MEDICINE

In this day of rapid change in almost every area of our lives, there are few places in which change has more rapid than in the field of medicine. In the last twenty-five years we have witnessed in medical care a transformation as dramatic as in almost any other area of life.

This period parallels the period of development of our Baptist Medical Center in Winston-Salem. This began in 1941, when our Hospital and our Medical School were joined to form the first and only such Baptist combination. Today it stands as one of the very fine medical centers in our country, reflecting the vast progress which has come in the field of medical care. All indications are that this progress will continue at an ever growing rate.

It is a day of increasing specialization, with men and women highly trained and dedicated in their special fields of medicine. It is a day of expanding research in medicine, as in industry, agriculture and business.

Many of the fruits of this work seem almost like modern miracles. There are new means of diagnosing our ills, such as the brain scan and the use of sound waves. New drugs are being developed almost daily for combatting diseases, including antibiotics and new chemicals. There are new techniques in treating our ills, as in heart surgery, inhalation therapy, and replacing of organs of the body. There are new instruments to perform these miracles, as the cobalt machine, the heart-lung pump, the pacemaker for the heart, the laser beam in surgery. There are new facilities for better care of the patient, such as the intensive care unit and the progressive or minimal care unit.

There has developed a new concept in medicine in recognizing the patient as a person, and not just as a virus or a broken bone. He is now treated as a whole person, including his emotional and spiritual needs as well as his physical problems. Psychiatry has

developed, spiritual therapy is an important factor, and pastoral care is a part of the total care of the sick.

Such important progress necessarily means greatly increased cost in medical care. But the high cost is more than offset by service which gives us better health, more relief from suffering and handicaps, and added years to life.

This is not the work of an institution alone - it is a cooperative enterprise. It is a ministry in which we as churches and individual Christians join hands with those who serve in our Medical Center. If this service is made available to all our people who need it, we of necessity have to provide much of the means, for there are many who cannot pay for it. This is a wonderful opportunity when we by simply giving our money can share in so important a service to our brother in need - and even hear a "Well done," for "Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these my brethren, ye have done it unto me."

Submitted by

CHARLES P. BURCHETTE

9. Mrs. Barbara Sprinkle, member of the Canaan Baptist Church, was recognized and gave a report on the Children's Homes. Motion carried for acceptance as read. Mrs. Sprinkle expressed her gratitude for the privilege of sponsoring two children in the Children's Home.

REPORT OF BAPTIST CHILDREN'S HOMES OF NORTH CAROLINA, INC.

Helping children and young people to grow and develop toward Christian maturity is one of the greatest privileges in life. No task is more important than helping a child to grow into healthy, well-adjusted, responsible citizenship. At the Children's Home we seek to provide the proper atmosphere, encouragement and supervision to assure the development of God given talents of our children.

Our homes offer a variety of quality services to the children of families who have not been able to continue a satisfactory pattern of living together. A total of 33 cottages on five campuses provide group care of different kinds. There are two residences for emotionally disturbed children, convenient to a great medical center where psychiatric services are available. This fall, for the first time, a single cottage at Wallburg is being opened for the rehabilitation of boys.

In June of 1967 the first of the new family living cottages was completed and is being used by brothers and sisters who can profit by sharing the same home. This building was provided by Mr. and Mrs. William M. York of Greensboro, and is named the York Cottage. It is a model for the family living approach in group child care. A similar cottage is already under construction at Mills Home and two buildings of this type are now being built on the Kennedy Home campus.

In addition to group homes, the needs of many children are met through the use of Foster Homes. A growing interest in this phase of our work is encouraging. Many families are finding happiness and opportunity for service in caring for foster children. Thus, many boys and girls, who otherwise would not have had this opportunity, are privileged to grow up in Christian homes. Should you have an "extra measure of love" to share in this way the Homes would like to know of your interest.

Regional case centers, staffed by trained social workers, are located in six prominent areas of the State and add to the ability of the Homes to offer counseling services to distressed families and to those for whom family rehabilitation has been achieved.

Members of the Board of Trustees and the Staff of the Children's Homes are committed to the task of maintaining a Christian Program of Child Care - a program that will merit the undivided support and loyalty of our people and that will bring favor to our Lord. To that end it is our purpose to meet, as effectively as possible, the challenges of our day.

Respectfully Submitted,

MRS. BARBARA SPRINKLE

10. The Moderator presented Dr. W. K. McGee, Director of Denominational Relations, Baptist Hospital, Winston-Salem, N. C., who in turn recognized Rev. Jim Lambeth, Pastor of the Mills Home Baptist Church, Thomasville, N. C., for a few remarks. Dr. McGee spoke on the subject of "Ministering Through Social Services."

11. Mr. C. W. Bazemore, Field Representative of the Biblical Recorder, Raleigh, N. C., was recognized and spoke on Christian Literature, emphasizing the power of the printed word.

12. Mr. Ernest Upchurch was again recognized and stated that Mr. C. Gordon Maddrey is back at work and progressing nicely after suffering a heart attack. Rev. Hayden Cartner was recognized and made announcement regarding the noon meal. Rev. Charles P. Burchette led the group as they sang enthusiastical-

ly "O Zion Haste." Rev. Hayden Cartner read from the Scriptures as found in John 4: 31-38 and offered prayer. Rev. Cartner presented Rev. Harold J. Mason, Pastor of the Grace Baptist Church, Kannapolis, N. C., who brought the annual sermon. Rev. Mason used as his text, John 4:35 - "Lift up your eyes and look on the fields, for they are white already unto harvest." His subject was "Our Great Missionary Challenge." Rev. Mason brought a most challenging message. Prayer was offered and the meeting adjourned for the noon meal. There were 160 Messengers and 51 Visitors registered at this time for a total of 211.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

1:30 P.M.

13. The afternoon session opened with Rev. B. Lester Huff, Moderator, presiding. Rev. Hayden Cartner led the group in singing "Leaning On The Everlasting Arms." Mr. Bob Davis, local Attorney, was recognized and brought the Baptist Foundation Report which was approved by the body.

MY WILL AND YOUR WILL

SUBJECT TO GOD'S WILL

In the Beginning God created the heavens, the earth and all therein. He gave to man a writ of possession. The right to hold and use property during our lifetimes.

And still he holds the whole world in his hands.

He gave us the opportunity to share while we live and to rejoice as we share. Whether the mite or the millions a place is prepared so that nothing shall be wasted.

"And the rains fall on the just and the unjust."

Go and multiply as a command and as an accomplished fact has resulted in more than 3 billion people inhabiting the earth. The needs have grown from simple basic requirements to more refined cultural living. More people - more needs - require more concern and assistance.

"Count your blessings instead of sheep."

The search for greater learning has become a frantic search among the stars for new unknowns and relays are stationed to transmit intelligent communications in outer space. And Christian Colleges are overflowing with seekers after truth.

"And he grew in wisdom, and stature, and in favor with God

and man."

The strain of close family living creates friction, and intemperate actions on the part of partners for life severs "for better or worse". Broken families leave searching eyes and arms seeking guidance and love. The Baptist Childrens Homes of N. C., Inc., answer the call, "Suffer little Children to come unto me."

"It were better that a millstone . . . . ."

When the frailties of the body succumb to age and nobody cares anymore for one whose ability to perform a full days work is past. The N. C. Baptist Homes, Inc. ask that the glow of evening be spent in their friendly quarters.

"Come unto me all ye that labor and I will give you rest."

Sudden pain, accidents, creeping disease, or other sickness can cause us to seek medical help. The Great Physician works through the doctors and nurses at our Baptist Hospital in Winston-Salem.

"Arise, take up your bed and walk."

21,000 take their own lives each year in these United States. Millions die of various causes. Not all are prepared to go into eternity. Some say I will obtain the oil for my lamp tomorrow. Others say I will make my Will today. And among other things the N. C. Baptist Foundation Inc., which contributes to the Colleges, Childrens Homes, Baptist Homes, Baptist Hospital and other worthy causes, will be remembered in the thoughtful Will.

"Work for the night cometh!"

While working a tithe to the Lord and then an offering. At death, a remembrance of God's goodness by Will. How much? In What Way?

"What would you give in exchange . . . . . ? "

Surely the decision is too hard and I will decide later. Passed away? at 33? It was sure unexpected! Just yesterday I heard of a Mother deeding a house to her son. He said she could use it during her lifetime but he was young. No need to put it in writing. Now he has gone and so has her house. Just not enough time to do what was necessary. Or perhaps things like that just won't happen to me.

"No need to cry. His job was done — not put aside."

The N. C. Baptist Foundation — 15 directors — accepts money, property and other donations. Living Trusts, gift annui-

ties, Wills — all invested wisely. Then used to strengthen God's work in some way.

"In asmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these . . . . . ye have done it unto me."

ROBERT M. (BOB) DAVIS

14. Rev. Clarence Jenkins, Pastor of the Southside Baptist Church, was recognized and led the devotionals, using portions of scripture from Matthew and the Psalms after which he offered prayer. A standing vote of appreciation was extended to Rev. R. N. Huneycutt, semi-retired Minister of our Association, Rev. Hunneycutt preached the annual sermon at the First Session of the Rowan Baptist Association.

15. Mrs. Junius Corriher was recognized and conducted the "In Memorium" period. The group stood with bowed heads as the names of the departed ones were read. Rev. Wade H. James offered prayer.

IN MEMORIUM

"And I heard a voice from heaven saying unto me, Write, Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord from henceforth: Yea, saith the Spirit, that they may rest from their labours; and their works do follow them" (Revelation 14:13).

COMFORT

Another leaf has fallen,
  Another soul has gone,
But still we have God's promises
  In every robin's song;
For He is in His Heaven
  And though He takes away
He always leaves to mortals
  The bright sun's kindly ray.
He leaves the fragrant blossoms
  And lovely forests green,
And gives us new found comfort
  When we on Him will lean.

—Franklin Lee Stevenson

OUR BELOVED DEAD

CALVARY: Mr. F. M. Young, Mr. Howard Safley, Mr. Harrison Koontz, Miss Ada Burton, Mr. John Burton, Mr. Harry Simerson, Mr. John Smith.

CHINA GROVE: FIRST: Mr. T. B. Abernathy.

CHINA GROVE: SOUTH: Mr. K. F. Albright.

COMMUNITY: Mrs. R. L. Sides.

COOLEEMEE: FIRST: Mr. Lacy Snead, Mr. Frank Garwood, Mrs. Lillian Nichols, Mrs. B. W. Cartner, Miss Rosa Tatum.

DUNN'S MOUNTAIN: Mr. Charles Sanford Bryan, Mr. M. L. Cline, (Deacon).

EAST CORINTH: Mrs. Gladys Morgan.

EAST SPENCER: FIRST: Mr. Hugh Spurgeon (Chuck) Huneycutt, Mr. J. F. Cloer, (Deacon).

EMMANUEL: Mrs. Nell Hoffner, Mrs. Lois Manson, Mr. Ernest Grubb.

ENON: Mrs. W. T. Snider.

FAITH: Mrs. C. T. Burkett, Mrs. S. A. Corn, Mr. Lee Webster, (Deacon).

GOLD HILL: Mr. Coy Wagoner, Mr. Henry Honeycutt, Mr. John Hill.

GRACE: Mrs. Vera Christy.

LANDIS: Mrs. Welt Wall, Mrs. Isabell Merrill, Mrs. M. E. Wilson, Mr. Lincoln Adams, Mrs. Roxie Williams.

MILFORD HILL: Mr. Harvey E. Sowers.

NEEDMORE: Mrs. Rosa Saine.

NORTH MAIN STREET: Mr. Harold Beck, Mrs. T. L. Carter, Mrs. Myrtle Grubb, Mrs. S. J. Penninger, Sr.

OAKDALE: Mr. Robert Simmerson, Mr. Raymond Wilson, Mrs. Roy Young.

PINE RIDGE: Mrs. Vera Draper, Mr. J. W. Stirewalt.

PROVIDENCE: Mr. Glen Norris.

ROCKWELL: Mrs. Cora Weaver, Mrs. J. C. Talbert, Mr. J. C. Cheek (Deacon).

ROWAN MILLS: Mr. Otho Cauble, Mrs. B. B. Mull, Miss Rosa Eudy.

SALISBURY: FIRST: Mrs. P. R. Potts, Mrs. W. T. Frost, Sr., Mrs. M. C. Hannah, Sr., Mrs. C. C. Morrison, Mrs. Fletcher Cauble, Sr., Mrs. John A. Evans, Mr. R. M. King, Mr. J. S. Shuford, Mrs. J. A. Summers, Mr. George Uzzell, Mr. Walter Coleman, Sr., Mr. Russell Porter.

SOUTHSIDE: Rev. G. L. Hillard.

SPENCER: FIRST: Mr. R. A. Lewis, Mr. J. L. Brown, Mr. A. G. Wyatt, (Deacon), Mr. J. A. Hutchins, Mrs. W. D. Stallings, Miss Theresa Cooke, Mr. L. D. Holleman, Mr. George Denham.

STALLINGS MEMORIAL: Mr. Vernon Butler, Mr. Bruce McSwain, Jr., Mr. Tom O. Garwood, Mr. Harry Edwards, Mr. H. A. Deadmon, Mrs. J. C. McDaniel, Mrs. W. W. Linder, Mrs. J. L. Kirk, Mr. Grover Allen.

TRADING FORD: Mrs. J. R. Jones, Mrs. Earl Queen, Mr. H. C. Doby.

TRINITY: Mr. Bill Aycoth.

WEST CORINTH: Mr. Wade F. Campbell, (Deacon).

FRANKLIN MISSION: Mr. Douglas R. Noel.

Respectfully,
MRS. JUNIUS CORRIHER, Chr.
MRS. HAYDEN CARTNER

16. Dr. J. T. Holland, Pastor of the Milford Hills Baptist Church, was recognized and gave some information on the Baptist Student Union work in our Assocation. He presented Miss Reneen Hicks who brought a report on B.S.U. activities. Motion carried for adoption of report.

BAPTIST STUDENT UNION REPORT

1. Approximately twenty-five members at present.
2. Meet once-a-month, every third Tuesday.
3. Officers meet at beginning of each year to plan programs, where to meet and who we want for speakers.
4. We try to get speakers who will speak on current problems of Christian students.
5. Rev. Kenneth Payne is presenting a challenge to us tonight to work in Oakland Heights Mission in any capacity that we are able.

6. It will give us an opportunity to help them as well as grow spiritually in giving of ourselves.

7. This year we were represented at Camp Caraway for the first time; BSU Leadership Camp.

8. Thanks for funds; enables us to send officers to camp, those interested in week-end camp, and provide refreshments at meetings.

9. Encourages us to know you are backing us up with your moral support and financial assistance.

Respectfully submitted,
RENEEN HICKS

17. Rev. H. M. Hocutt, Pastor of the Oakdale Baptist Church, was recognized and stated that a written report would not be made on the Seminary Extension work; however, he gave information regarding this phase of our work and a verbal report of classes and courses underway. Motion for approval carried.

18. The Moderator presented Dr. Van Murrell, Chairman Department of Religion, Gardner-Webb College, Boiling Springs, N. C., who spoke on the subject of "Ministering Through Christian Higher Education." Dr. Murrell requested the prayers of the group for the advancement of Christian Higher Education. Dismissal prayer was offered by Dr. Clyde Chapman, Pastor of the First Baptist Church, Spencer, N. C., and the afternoon session was adjourned to reconvene Wednesday morning at 9:30 with the Trinity Baptist Church, Spencer, N. C. There were 162 Messengers and 51 Visitors registered at this time for a total of 213.

WEDNESDAY MORNING
TRINITY BAPTIST CHURCH
Eighth Street, Spencer
9:30 A.M.

19. Rev. B. Lester Huff, Moderator, called the session to order and Rev. Hayden Cartner led the group in singing "All Hail The Power of Jesus Name" with Mrs. James L. McCoy at the organ and Mrs. J. Earle Blalock at the piano. Rev. LeRoy Cooper, Pastor of the Rowan Mills Baptist Church, led the devotionals, reading from Acts 20:17-32, and led in prayer. The Moderator recognized Rev. Henry Carrol, former Pastor in the Rowan Association who has moved to the Cabarrus Association.

20. Rev. C. V. Talbert, Pastor of the Rockwell Baptist Church,

was recognized and brought the report of American Bible Society. Motion carried for adoption of this report. Rev. Marvin Dameron, host pastor, was recognized and extended words of welcome. Rev. Dameron gave information as to the facilities available to the group.

AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY REPORT

The American Bible Society shares the concern for worldwide missions which Southern Baptists are expressing in plans for the Crusade of the Americas and World Missions Year in 1969. The entire program of Bible Society work is founded on these basic missionary principles:

People must have the Bible because it presents Jesus Christ, the one hope of men and nations.

Each person must have the Bible in his own language because it speaks to his heart as no other language can speak.

The Bible is the essential tool of missions and evangelism. The missionary uses it in all his work. The Bible itself is a missionary. It can go where the human missionary cannot go. It can stay on after he must leave — and keep on speaking to a person's heart.

But, there is a worldwide shortage of Bibles, because in most countries, people cannot afford even the cost of printing the Scriptures.

The American Bible Society is a worldwide missionary organization. It is an active partner in Southern Baptist work. It helps missionaries translate the Bible. It publishes the Scriptures without note or comment and distributes them without profit, usually below cost, and often without any charge in cases of special need. For the Blind, it supplies Scriptures in Braille and other raised-letter systems, Talking Bible records and tape recordings.

God's Word for a New Age — the Book for New Readers

A program of advance is being carried on by the American Bible Society in cooperation with 34 other national Bible Societies around the world. In 1968 this program will enter its second phase with the theme, "God's Word for a New Age — the Book for New Readers." Its aim is to provide greatly increased quantities of Scriptures urgently needed for mission work. Long-range goals are:

A Bible in every Christian home

A Testament in every Christian's hand

A Scripture Portion for every reader

Supplies of Scriptures for Christians to share

During 1966 the American Bible Society —

— rejoiced that some part of the Bible has been published in 1280 languages; the full Bible in 240, a Testament in 301 more, A Gospel or other complete book in 739 more — but still counted over 1000 more languages in which not one book of the Bible has yet been published.

— gave more than 500,000 Scripture volumes for distribution by Chaplains to our Armed Forces and Veterans' Hospitals, as a vital link between the home churches and men in service.

— produced, in several languages, Scriptures in everyday speech, printed in attractive forms. Outstanding among these is "Good News for Modern Man", the Today's English Version New Testament, translated by the Society's translation department. Published September 15, 1966, at least 5 million copies are expected to be distributed by the close of 1967.

— set new records by distributing 39,981,620 Scripture volumes in the U.S.A. and a total of 61,815,238 volumes, in over 400 languages, in some 150 countries around the world — and continued to increase translation, publication and distribution to meet urgent needs.

Southern Baptists Support the Work

Because the Bible Society serves mission work — and Southern Baptist missionaries depend on the Society for Scriptures they need for their people — Southern Baptists believe in the missionary importance of giving to the American Bible Society.

In 1966 Southern Baptist churches gave $233,896 to the American Bible Society and ranked first among all denominations. Gifts from all churches in the U.S.A. totaled $1,472,-307.

Although Southern Baptist churches lead in total gifts, the per capita gift is less than 2½ cents per year — and less than the per capita gift from several other major denominations.
Southern Bapitst churches can lead, even in per capita gifts

— if every church wil give. Has your church given this year? Here are suggestions, based on what many churches are doing:

Every church can give at least these amounts each year:

Smaller churches	$10	to	$60
Larger churches	$60	to	$300
Great city churches	$300 to $600	or	more

Please send gifts to your Baptist state office marked "for the American Bible Society."

Respectfully submitted,
C. V. TALBERT

21. Rev. J. D. Whisnant, Pastor of the Calvary Baptist Church, was recognized and gave a report on Radio and Television. This report was accepted by the group as read.

RADIO & TELEVISION REPORT

was recognized and gave a report on Radio and Television. This Religious liberty, Radio and Television remain a great blessing to humanity. Radio and Television when carrying the gospel message of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ reach the ears of more people than any other God given outlet. People of all nations who hear or see the gospel message must receive or reject that message. They also remain a wonderful ministry to the sick and shut-ins, to those who for other reasons have to rely on it, and for those who will not attend church when possible. In our local area Radio carries the gospel into many homes, businesses and places of recreation so that the people who hear are left without excuse.

The work of our Southern Baptist Executive Director, Paul M. Stevens is unique in the programs of Baptist Hour carried by radio. He has been successful in getting Television programs so far as funds will allow. We are also grateful for other good programs like the "Answer" carried to many people here and abroad by Radio and certain Billy Graham Crusade Telecasts. The Gospel of Jesus Christ is being heard and felt around the world through the medium of radio and television.

Respectfully submitted,
J. D. WHISNANT

22. Mrs. E. Carr Choate was recognized and brought the report on Public Morals. Motion carried for approval of the report.

REPORT ON PUBLIC MORALS

(Facts supplied by Christian life commission)

1st—The Mass Media—What is the effect of screen violence on a young person's ability to distinguish between right and

wrong? 94% of American homes have television. 242 million radios, having tremendous potential for both good and evil, this media affects and directs the moral and spiritual climate of our nation.

Some answers—The power of public opinion is the greatest force. Christians must express christian concern, commending the good and deploring the evil. . . Supervise viewing habits of youth.

2nd—Ponography; distribution is illegal, which includes drawings, color slides, sex literature, obscene books. Christian Life Commission tells us this "FILTH" is distributed to school children often, on the way to school.

P. O. Dept. says 100,000,000 brochures advertising this material are mailed every year.

One arrest showed the "dealer" had spent $225,000 on one mailing for postage, using postage meters.

Ponography is largerly responsible for sick personalities and sex violence.

Some answers: Stop sale.

Report knowledge of "Dealers".

Churches provide attractive literature, proclaim effectively christian concept of sex.

Supervise recreation sports for youthful energy.

3rd—Alcohol. The ship which brought Governor Winthrop to Mass. in 1629 carried 42 tons of beer. Eight years later the first brewery was built in that colony. Today the nation's drinking is in excess of FIVE BILLION $$$. Last year N. C. Baptist State Convention reported N. C. consumed $118,304,628.00 in liquor.

In the U. S. there are 6½ million alcoholics. Last year California found they spent $7,000,000 in 18 months for rehabilitation of alcoholics. 75% of sex offenses in U.S. have resulted from alcohol.

Some answers—Not by removing liquor from people, but solving problems which create the desire or the need to drink, this includes love and spiritual rehabilitation.

4th—Juvenile Delinquency. The most serious aspect of crime in the U.S. is the INCREASE in crime by juveniles. 100,000 boys and girls are annually placed in common jails exposed to hardened criminals. The arrest of those 18 and under has increased three times as fast as their population growth in the past six years.

Last year the State Convention gave support to N. C. State Board of Health for eradication and control of veneral disease in the public schools system beginning with the 8th grade.

Some answers: Provide stabalizing christian influence. Minister directly to areas of need. Provide social and spiritual opportunities.

Juvenile Rehabilitation Programs are being sponsored in many churches.

The reading of these disturbing facts and issues show us the reality of personal tragedy. Behind these facts are individual lives, created in the image of GOD, but twisted out of the DIVINE IMAGE by circumstances, in an age when so many forces depersonalize life.

Christians must stir the conscience of society by insisting on the WORTH and DIGNITY of every individual.

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. E. CARR CHOATE

23. Mrs. J. Earle Blalock was recognized and gave the Music Report, urging that a greater effort be put forth for the promotion of the music program in the Association. Motion carried for adoption of the report. Mrs. Blalock brought the report of Historical Commission. This report was approved as read.

MUSIC REPORT

"I will sing praise unto God while I have my being" Psalm 146.

The church music department of our Southern Baptist Convention is the busiest, greatest, and most important music program projected by any church. We, the Associational Music Committee, are grateful to be a part of the all encompassing program of Southern Baptist. Our churches have been organized into zones and a group chairman, responsible for several area churches, will be responsible to the general chairman as to their program in the music department.

The literature is the best and should be used in all our work and is available from the Beginner on through Adult work and all have one focal correlated look and purpose, better music, richer lives. Hopefully our people are using our own Baptist Hymnal and the Church Musicians along with the Junior and very small children work. All of our literature is beautiful, simple and in good taste spiritually and technically and should find wide use in our music program.

The Council is now and shall continue to try and develop a

strong and far reaching musical program among our people. The children are most important. All children should be a member of their age group and faithfully participate in the church music. Of course, they must be used to sing at opportune times.

The Pastor and Music Chairman will seek out the young promising musician then, and encourage them to become candidate pianist or organist, to be used as substitutes in all departments of the church organizations. One or two poorly attended music clinics a year will not build a fine music department. We must have people who are dedicated and faithful. Mr. Stroud and Mr. Gatwood of our State Music Department are waiting to come and help us, again. Plans for either of them must be made in advance. Any zone group of churches may plan a clinic or hymn practice session, by calling on the chairman to help. We are ready.

A singing church is a happy church, so be sure to learn, if possible, the hymn of the month, and as many new ones as you can. But sing hymns people can participate in, it is spiritually meaningful and soul releasing.

We ask our Pastors to take a new look at their church music. Survey the congregation and find new prospects for the musician in our church are for the Word of God in song as He is in the open Bible. Each time we lift our hearts in song we bring a small sweet blessing to our lives. After all, congregations may be the best music.

We at present have 1,127 Baptist participating in our church music program. About a third of our churches have graded choirs, and some are starting work with the little ones.

Help your music committee to help you make your church music beautiful, dignified and soul stirring. Music is not incidental to the church service, it is the church service. Only people can make it a meaningful success.

"It is good to sing praises unto our Lord". Psalm 147. Our Music Ministry consists of 470 Adults, 140 Youth, 133 Intermediates, 222 Juniors, 64 Primaries, 45 Beginners, and 23 Ensemble Groups.

Respectfully submitted,
GEORGIA BLALOCK, Chairman

HISTORICAL EVENTS

FIRST BAPTIST - E. SPENCER—Purchased lot adjoining church lot.

EASTSIDE BAPTIST—Carpeted Auditorium.

EMMANUEL BAPTIST—Pastor Resigned, August 6, 1967.

ENON BAPTIST—Mortgage on Parsonage paid, Church now debt free.

GOLD HILL BAPTIST—Painted exterior of church, painted Sunday School rooms and floors.

GRACE—Painted Church outside.

MILFORD HILL BAPTIST—Dedication of Parsonage, Remodeling in Sanctuary, added Sunday School rooms, engaged an architect to begin plans for new Sanctuary.

NEEDMORE—Parsonage debt paid off, Pastor called-Rev. Wade H. James, May 7, 1967.

N. MAIN BAPTIST—Painted interior of Educational Building.

OAKDALE BAPTIST—Work begun on writing of church history to be published.

ROWAN MILLS BAPTIST—Parking lot paved and parking spaces marked. Purchased a new Hammond Organ.

FIRST BAPTIST, SALISBURY—Mr. W. J. Stephenson resigned March 12, 1967.

STALLINGS MEMORIAL BAPTIST—Parking Area graded and paved.

WEST PARK BAPTIST—New Sanctuary.

"THIS IS MY FATHER'S WORLD AND LET US NE'ER FORGET-

GOD IS THE RULER YET"

Our Rowan Association has had a busy and rewarding year-though the world be torn by war, civil strife, race hatred and national willful destruction, God's children are assured of his constantly abiding love as we labor to glorify the kingdom.

Our 35 churches and 2 missions now have 12,242 members. There has been much activity and many changes.

Oakland Height Mission has been brought under the sponsorship of the Association at the request of Trading Ford Church, their previous sponsor. Rev. Kenneth Payne is pastor.

East Corinth Church, this year celebrated their 100th anniver sary. They have also done extensive remodeling and generally improving the properties, including lovely stained glass window for the sanctuary.

It is interesting to know that the Faith Church is the largest contributor to the cooperative program. Incidentally, they have

the greatest number of study course awards. Rev. Huff, our moderator, is pastor at Faith.

Our Brotherhood and RA's have 801 members; a gain of 45 over last year.

Training Union enrollment 1,798; a gain of 6 over last year.

Baptisms in all churches 260; 65 less than last year.

Sunday Schools 9,160; a loss of 106 over last year.

WMU 2,569; a gain of 168 over last year.

The women's work has been most rewarding. They have sponsored: Week of Prayer, Prayer Retreats, Study and Leadership Courses, two coronations and most successful mission gifts.

The overall associational mission gifts for 1967 is 126,401, with 62,049 of this going to the Cooperative Program. At present not all churches are sharing in their most important work, but all should, as we are fullfilling a gracious stewardship in this far reaching mission. We look with joy to the time when all churches shall participate.

Our record lists 1,488 tithers. 8 churches do not list any.

Changes in our churches—New pastors.

Franklin Mission has called Rev. Carl Kincaid as their pastor. Also new pastor at Rowan Mills, Rev. Le Roy Cooper, Rev. Bill Rollings-Pine Ridge, and Rev. Clarence Jenkins at Southside. Welcome, new pastors!

Salisbury First, Emmanuel, Wyatts Grove and Landis are without pastors.

Dr. M. Ray McKay of Raleigh is interim pastor of First Church, Salisbury.

May our Heavenly Father help our Rowan Association pastors and people alike to catch a new vision of fulfilling our high calling, of stewardship and service that is pleasing to him.

Lift up the cross of Christ,

Tread where His feet have trod.

As brother to the sons of men

Rise up, oh men of God.

Respectfully submitted,
GEORGIA BLALOCK
Historical Chairman

24. Rev. R. O. Brinkley, Pastor of the First Baptist Church, China Grove, was recognized and brought the Place & Preacher Committee report. Motion for adoption carried.

REPORT OF PLACE AND PREACHER COMMITTEE

The days for the annual meeting of the Rowan Baptist Association are predetermined by our constitution. The constitution stipulates that the Association will meet on Tuesday and Wednesday after the fourth Sunday in October. Therefore, the annual meeting of this Association in 1968 will be on October 29th and 30th.

We have received invitations from the First Church of China Grove and from the North Main Church of Salisbury to meet with them in 1968. In response to these invitations, your committee recommends that the Association meet with the First Church of China Grove on the first day and the North Main Church of Salisbury on the second day.

We further recommend that J. D. Whisnant, pastor of the Calvary Church, preach the annual sermon and that Banks Mullis, pastor of the Trading Ford Church, be the alternate.

Respectfully submitted,
R. O. BRINKLEY, Chairman
Ronald McSwain
Mrs. Carl J. Brown

25. Rev. Hayden Cartner, Pastor of Stallings Memorial Baptist Church, was recognized and brought a report of the Nominating Committee. Motion of acceptance of the report and election of these nominees carried.

REPORT OF NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Moderator ..... Graham Carlton
Vice-Moderator ..... Hayden M. Cartner
Clerk ..... James L. McCoy
Associate Clerk & Statistician ..... Mrs. James L. McCoy
Treasurer ..... Charles Summers
Chorister ..... Elmer Phipps
Pianist ..... Mrs. J. Earle Blalock
Sunday School Superintendent ..... Herman Blakeman
Training Union Director ..... Carl Kincaid
W.M.U. President ..... Mrs. J. C. Scruggs
Director of Baptist Men ..... Alvin Morris
Seminary Extension Director ..... Clyde Chapman
Music:
Music Ministry Chairman ..... Mrs. J. Earle Blalock

Congregational Singing ....Charles R. Bolden
Graded Choirs .....Mrs. R. M. Gregory, Chairman
Mrs. E. S. Smoot
Director Instrumental Music .....Mrs. E. H. Potts
Pastor Advisor ....Ronald McSwain
Promotion .....Miss Patsy Hudson
Trustees .....Graham Carlton, Chairman
A. T. Koontz
Sam May

Respectfully submitted,
HAYDEN M. CARTNER, Chairman
Mrs. R. O. Brinkley
Mr. Harold Hamilton
Mrs. R. B. Motley

26. Rev. Ralph Hammett, Pastor of the North Main Baptist Church, was recognized and gave the report of Committee on Committees, distributing mimeographed copies to the group. Rev. Hammett moved that members of committees and various board representatives, as shown on the mimeographed sheet distributed, be approved. Motion carried for adoption. Rev. Hammett moved for adoption of recommendation coming from the Committee on Committees that the By-Laws be amended by adding number 19 to read as follows: "The Moderator and the Associational Missionary be ex officio members of all committees and be notified of all meetings held by each committee." Motion carried for adoption of recommendation. It was also moved by Rev. Hammett that the Associational Missionary be instructed to mail a copy of report of the Committee on Committees to the various chairmen of the committees and board representatives. Motion carried.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES
1967 - 1968

Missions Committee: Rev. B. Lester Huff, Chairman; Mr. Sam Mayfield, Mrs. Charles Bolden, Mrs. J. C. Scruggs, Mrs. Herman Hood, Rev. W. E. Haltom.

Committee On Reception of New Churches: Rev. Harold Mason, Chairman, Mr. Charles Bolden, Rev. Horace Moree.

Obituary Committee: Mrs. Hayden Cartner, Chairman; Mrs. J. M. Gupton, Mrs. R. L. Troutman.

Public Morals and Civic Righteousness Committee: Mr. Robert M. Davis; Rev. Kenneth Payne, Rev. Carl Kincaid.

Finance Committee: Mr. Charles Summers, Chairman; Mrs. E. Carr Choate, Mr. Gerald W. Herrin, Mr. C. Brown Ketner.

Radio and Television Committee: Rev. Charles P. Burchette, Chairman; Rev. J. D. Whisnant, Rev. Charles P. Burchette,

Place and Preacher: Rev. Ronald McSwain, Chairman; Rev. Marvin Smith, Rev. C. V. Talbert.

Resolutions Committee: Mrs. B. Lester Huff, Chairman; Rev. Joe King, Mrs. Pearl Talbert.

Nominating Committee: Dr. Clyde Chapman, Chairman; Mrs. R. B. Motley, Mr. C. G. Wise, Rev. Gordon Pope, Mrs. Charles Hellard.

Audio Visual Aids: Rev. John Carter, Chairman; Mrs. J. C. Scruggs, Mr. Herman Blakeman, Mr. A. E. Morris, Rev. Carl Kincaid.

Camp Development Committee: Rev. Joe King, Chairman; Mr. Grady Queen, Dr. Baxter Smith.

Historical Committee: Mrs. Earle Blalock, Miss Bessie Carter, Rev. H. M. Hocutt.

Evangelism Committee: Rev. L. S. Bullard, Chairman; Mr. Ruben Hellard, Rev. Banks Mullis, Rev. Le Roy Cooper, Rev. Marvin Dameron.

Seminary Extension Committee: Rev. H. M. Hocutt, Chairman; Mr. J. L. Hensley, Rev. Hayden Cartner.

REPRESENTATIVES AND MEMBERS OF VARIOUS BOARDS

1. Christian Education.....Dr. John T. Holland
2. Children's Home.....Mrs. Barbara Sprinkle
3. Home For The Aging.....Rev. W. S. Rollings
4. Christian Literature.....Mrs. Ruben Hellard
5. Minister's Retirement.....Mr. Thomas D. Poole
6. American Bible Society.....Mrs. G. W. Greene
7. Baptist Hospital.....Mr. Wade H. James
8. Baptist Student Union.....Pres. of B.S.U. at Catawba College
9. Cooperative Program.....Mr. Gerald W. Herrin
10. Baptist Foundation .....Rev. Joe Newton

RECOMMENDATION OF COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES

We, the members of the Committee on Committees, bring the following recommendation: We recommend that the By-Laws be amended by adding number 19 to read as follows: The Moderator and the Associational Missionary be ex officio members of all committees and be notified of all meetings held by each committee.

Respectfully submitted,
RALPH C. HAMMETT, Chairman
Mrs. J. C. Scruggs
Rev. Marvin Smith
Mrs. J. M. Gupton
Rev. John Carter
Rev. B. Lester Huff, ex officio

27. Mrs. R. W. Coone was recognized and brought a report of the Resolutions Committee. Motion for adoption of this report carried. Rev. Harold J. Mason was recognized and made a correction of statement made by him on the previous day. Rev. Hayden Cartner led the group in singing "To God Be The Glory", and "Spirit Of The Living God."

REPORT OF RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE

We, your Committee on Resolutions, bring the following report:

Be it resolved:

1. That, inasmuch as Stallings Memorial Church and Trinity Church have so graciously opened their doors to this Association, and have so royally entertained us, we do hereby express our appreciation to them for their friendly hospitality.

2. That we commend the officers, committees, and all who had part, for their faithful service in arranging the fine program, in the presentation of reports which reveal to us both our successes and our failures.

3. That we express sincere thanks to each of our visiting speakers for their inspiring and challenging messages.

4. That we rise to the challenge of changing our losses of the past year to gains in the present year, as we dedicate ourselves anew to Jesus Christ and His work.

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. R. W. COONE

28. Mrs. J. C. Scruggs, Associational W.M.U. President, was

recognized and gave the report of Woman's Missionary Union. Motion for adoption carried.

REPORT OF WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

The organizations of the church are the vehicles on which the church travels as it seeks to fulfill its mission through ministry. Woman's Missionary Union is committed to helping the church fulfill its mission on earth. Woman's Missionary Union performs four major tasks for the church.

The first of these is teaching the missionary message of the Bible, the progress of Christian missions and the contemporary missions work of Southern Baptist. In teaching missions, WMU leads the church members to develop a growing understanding of God's missionary purpose, and to respond to this purpose in personal commitment and obedience. The study of missions is significant in the life of a church. It helps a church overcome a tempta-
four major tasks for the church.

looks its world task of going into all the world to preach the gospel to every creature. In addition to formal study, WMU members are encouraged to read WMU magazines and the magazines of our Home and Foreign Mission Boards, and to keep themselves informed on current world conditions.

The second task which Woman's Missionary Union performs for the church is to lead its members to participate in missions. James 1:22 says, "Be ye doers of the word and not hearers only." Participation in missions grows out of the study of missions, for once we become aware of the needs of the world, and our responsibility for helping to meet these needs, we want to become involved in world redemption, both in proclaiming the gospel of Christ and in ministering to human need in Christ's name. WMU leads persons to participate in missions through praying for missions, giving for the support of missions, and witnessing and ministering personally.

Our third task is to provide organization and leadership for special mission projects of the church. WMU has traditionally provided organization and leadership for two types of projects, the weeks of prayer and the special offerings for home and foreign missions. These are church projects, with churchwide participation, designed to engage the entire church in a missionary concern. Other projects can be conducted related to mission study and mission action. And any time the church undertakes other mission projects WMU stands ready to provide organization and leadership.

The fourth task of Woman's Missionary Union is to provide and interpret information regarding the church and the denomination. WMU plays a vital role in interpreting the work of the church to its members. As the WMU president serves on the Church Council and participates in church planning, she can see that these plans are interpreted to the members of the WMU organizations. WMU also serves as a channel of communication for the denomination, especially denominational programs dealing with the work of the Home and Foreign Mission Boards, and the Stewardship Commission.

As we look at our reports for the past year we see many places where we should have done better, to be sure, but we are deeply grateful for the gains we have made, especially in the net gain of 7 organizations and 168 members. We rejoice in the fact that one church has organized WMU organizations where there was no WMU organizations before. This gives us some WMU organizations in all of our churches except one, and both of our missions have WMU work.

We are grateful for all of those who labored to make this report possible, always mindful of the fact that "We are laborers together with God."

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. J. C. SCRUGGS

29. Dr. Clyde D. Chapman, Pastor of the First Baptist Church, Spencer, was recognized and brought the Brotherhood Report for Mr. Alvin Morris who could not be present. A motion and second for approval of this report was made. Rev. Joe King, Pastor of East Corinth Baptist Church, was recognized and encouraged the churches to avail themselves of sources available in R. A. work. Motion carried for acceptance of the report.

BROTHERHOOD REPORT

The Rowan Baptist Men's Brotherhood held all of its regular Associational meetings during the past year. The emphasis has been on the training of all Baptist men and young men and boys in missions. A new program of missionary training and missionary promotion, in order to inform, motivate and involve our men in the mission task of the church, will be continued for the 1967-1968 year. The goals for the coming year are designed to continue this program.

Our Study Goals:

1—to increase by 10% the participation of men, young men, and boys in our church in mission learning experience at regu-

lar organizational meetings.

2—to increase by 10% the participation of all men, young men, and boys in our church in studies of the home and foreign mission graded series.

3—to provide opportunities for at least 10% of the men, young men and boys in our church to participate in other special mission studies.

4—to provide opportunities for at least 50% of the brotherhood members to learn how our church fulfills its mission through ministry.

Our Action Goals:

1—to lead 25% of all men, young men and boys in our church to pray for missions.

2—to lead at least 30% of all men, young men, and boys in our church to support missions through tithes and offerings.

3—to conduct at least 4 mission actions in our community.

4—to provide organization and leadership for one or more projects in support of our church total ministry.

5—to begin a movement toward a county wide Laymans Revival for October 1969 with all churches participating.

6—to work more closely with the Womens Missionary Union and its organizations in the teaching and support of home and foreign mission studies.

7—to work toward the completion of our county RA Camp for young men and boys.

Respectfully submitted,
AL MORRIS

30. Rev. Gordon Pope, Pastor of South China Grove Baptist Church, was recognized and brought the Evangelism Report which was adopted by the body.

EVANGELISM REPORT

While our association as a whole had a decrease from 1966 in number of additions, we rejoice with 14 of our churches that enjoyed an increase.

For the coming year plans are under way for a Sunday School Enlargement Campaign, scheduled for next October 19-24, and the great evangelistic Crusade of the Americas, later in the year.

The field is white unto harvest. We can see it by looking out the doors of our churches, in every direction. We can see it, too, by looking at our membership rolls. As your chairman of evangelism, I call our attention to an almost forgotten commission of the New Testament: "Strengthen the brethren." If we could enlist the inactive members, most of our churches would be doubled in their strength and effectiveness in evangelism. We suggest that the best way to stop the decrease in the gains from the outside field would be to cultivate the inner field a little more carefully.

Respectfully submitted,
GORDON POPE

31. Rev. John Carter, Associational Missionary, was recognized and gave a report of the Schools of Missions. A motion carried for acceptance of the report as information.

32. Mr. Graham Carlton was recognized and gave a report of Associational Missions. A motion carried for adoption of the report.

MISSIONS COMMITTEE REPORT TO THE ROWAN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

During the past year, the Rowan Association's Missions Committee focused its attention principally upon Oakland Heights Mission, located on the Newsome Road in Salisbury.

In recent years through the leadership of Trading Ford Baptist Church and with the personal guidance of Brother R. N. Huneycutt and Rev. Banks Mullis the Oakland Heights Mission has made considerable progress in membership, church facilities and church program.

During the past associational year Brother Richard Peek served as pastor of Oakland Heights but it has been understood all along that Brother Peek would continue in this role only until he finished his work at Fruitland which was coming to a conclusion in the spring of 1967. It was apparent to the Missions Committee, which made its decision largely on the basis of Associational Missionary John Carter's study of the Oakland Heights operation, that Brother Peek could not be supported as a full time pastor. So in the late spring of 1967 Brother Peek with his characteristic cooperation and insight voluntarily disclosed his plans to serve the Lord elsewhere and the Missions Committee was led to Mr. Ken Payne who is an ordained Baptist minister and who serves on the teaching staff of Rowan Technical Institute but who has extra time to serve as Oakland Heights' part-time pastor. So the Missions Committee made arrangements with Mr. Payne to come as Oakland

Heights' pastor and under his ministry, which began in July, 1967, the Mission has become stronger. Vacation Bible School was held in August. Brother Payne led a summer revival. The Sunday School high attendance has been 64 and the Brotherhood has been organized. There is an active W M U and Training Union is planned for the immediate future and there is more than $1,000.00 in the bank.

During the past year, too, the Missions Committee met several times with leaders from Trading Ford and it was agreed that it would be for the best interest of Oakland Heights Mission for the sponsorship responsibilities to be assumed by the Association. Accordingly, on recommendation of the Missions Committee the Association's Executive Promotion Committee at its July, 1967 meeting agreed to accept the Oakland Heights property and assume the debt against this property in the approximate amount of $8,000.00. Trading Ford Church generously agreed to contribute $75.00 each month for application on the Oakland Heights debt until the current indebtedness is paid. Action has been taken on these matters and the Association has, for substantially all purposes, taken full responsibility for the Oakland Heights Mission and the ssociational Mission Committee, through next year in connection with the further growth of Oakland Height, will exercise careful supervision.

Respectfully submitted,
GRAHAM M. CARLTON,

33. Rev. Joe Newton, Pastor of the Yadkin Baptist Church, was recognized and gave the report on State Missions. A motion was made and seconded for approval. Rev. Newton gave his personal testimony of appreciation for the Fruitland Pastors School. The motion carried.

REPORT ON STATE MISSIONS

The Great Commission of Jesus can be summed up in two words, "out reach". There is one of our state mission programs that has a great out reach.

Fruitland Baptist Bible Institute in Hendersonville, North Carolina is and has been an instrument of God for many years. Since its inception in 1946 as an agency of the North Carolina Baptist State Convention, Fruitland has trained God's servants from many states and many backgrounds to witness effectively for and to serve the Christ who gave us the Great Commission in Matt. 28: 19-20.

In the past few years Fruitland has come to the forefront in

our state. There are 160 men enrolled in Fruitland this year. Last year there were 38 graduates, this year there will be 30 men who will have a better understanding of the will of God in their life and the responsibility of "The Church and the World Today".

There has been more than 600 men graduated from Fruitland in the past 21 years. They are now serving God in churches in North Carolina, South Carolina, Virginia, Tennessee, Ohio and other States.

The General Board has been studying and seeking to upgrade the work of Fruitland Baptist Bible Institute for the past several years. The work at Fruitland has provided excellent training for men who have not had college or seminary training. A great need has developed for a library and administration building as a part of the needed space at Fruitland. $65,000 has already been received by the treasurer of the Convention for the purpose of building such a building.

In November when the State Baptist Convention meets in Asheville, North Carolina, the General Board is going to ask the convention to borrow $250,000.00 to finance the construction of this library and administration building. The library now occupies three of the greatly needed class rooms.

Respectfully submitted
A. JOE NEWTON

34. Rev. Joe King, pastor of the East Corinth Baptist Church, was recognized and moved for adoption of the report on Home Missions. Rev. King spoke to the report. The report was adopted.

REPORT OF HOME MISSIONS

The United States is the most influential nation in the world. It is the nation whose churches provide the major thrust for the spread of the gospel worldwide. Amazing advances in communication provide unparalleled opportunities for sharing the gospel, but they also channel to the world information regarding our spiritual and moral weaknesses. In such a situation, every effort to Christianize the United States takes on global dimensions. At this point in human history home missions must be a major concern of Southern Baptists.

A missionary force of over 2,100 assists Southern Baptists in their efforts to bring men to God through Jesus Christ in a period characterized by national and international tensions, inflationary economy, growing population, moral problems, and

mounting social changes. This force was reinforced in 1966 by the appointment of 427 missionaries, with 119 on career status. However, the total number reported represents a decrease that is strictly on paper from the previous year, as a careful recheck of personnel lists eliminated names that should have been removed earlier.

To cope with the changes the agency has continued to experiment with and to search for relevant methods in missions, such as those to be used in resort communities, industrial situations, juvenile delinquency, and high-rise apartments. Studies continued in transitional areas, with downtown churches and with ministries to ex-prisoners.

Record support came during the year through the Cooperative Program ($4.7 million) and the Annie Armstrong Offering ($4 million). The goal for the Annie Armstrong Offering was reached for the first time since 1961.

Some pressing needs remain unmet in missionary appointments: 70 Spanish missionaries, 8 Italian, 18 Slavic, 14 Indian, 25 US-2, 25 other language groups, 9 couples and 11 single women for Baptist centers and weekday ministries, and 1 couple for migrant missions.

Funds for disaster relief, which started with $50,000 in 1966, will reach $235,000 during 1967 with increased funds coming through the Advance Section of the Cooperative Program.

Metropolitan and Academic Evangelism ministries received intensive study to plan Southern Baptist approaches in both areas. Metropolitan crusades in Denver and Phoenix are planned for 1968, and the Dayton (Ohio) crusade was planned for 1967.

Viet Nam Military Forces were served by one hundred of the 849 Southern Baptist military chaplains serving on active duty. Strengthened efforts have also been made for ministries by chaplains with hospitals, institutions, and in industry, and with churches in meeting the needs of military personnel near them or from their membership who are away on active duty.

Financial assistance went to 270 churches for loans totaling more than $4.5 million. The funds of the Church Loans Division now total more than $17.5 million, and the agency seeks new methods of guaranteed loans that will multiply these funds.

The Northeast Crusade, a concerted emphasis on missions for the ten-state northeastern area through 1970, was launched in 1966 with most of the agencies of the SBC participating, under the leadership of the Home Mission Board's Department of Pion-

eer Missions and the state conventions of Ohio and Maryland. This department also reported marked advance in work in all of the twenty-four states it serves.

Rural-Urban Missions Projects are under way in Indiana to establish new churches in small cities, and two other projects are planned for Ohio and Michigan. Resort mission techniques were studied in desert, mountain, inland lake, and seashore pilot projects.

Metropolitan Missions is implementing a significant and comprehensive pilot program for the Miami Beach area, and the department also is cooperating in an urban studies seminar in Washington, D. C. with Southeastern Seminary and the District of Columbia Convention.

Respectfully submitted,
JOE KING

35. Mrs. G. W. Greene, retired Missionary to China, was recognized and gave a report of Foreign Missions. Mrs. Greene used a large map of the world to illustrate her remarks. Motion carried for approval of the report. Rev. Marvin Dameron, host pastor, was recognized and gave instructions relative to the noon meal. Rev. Hayden Cartner led the group in singing "O Zion Haste." The Moderator presented Dr. Nathan C. Brooks, Jr., Director of Division of Church Programs, Baptist State Convention of North Carolina, who spoke on "Ministering Through The Cooperative Program." Dr. Brooks emphasized the need of ministering to the inner cities. He challenged the group to do more because God gave his only son, Jesus Christ. Prayer was offered by Rev. Gordon Pope and the meeting adjourned for the noon meal.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON SESSION
1:30 P.M.

36. Rev. B. Lester Huff, Moderator, called the afternoon session to order and Rev. Hayden Cartner led the group in singing "He Keeps Me Singing." Rev. L. S. Bullard, Pastor of the Enon Baptist Church, led the devotional period using 1 Corinthians 13, and offered prayer.

37. Mr. Herman Blakeman, Associational Sunday School Superintendent, was recognized and brought the Sunday School Report. Mr. Blakeman also gave a resume of the Sunday School Program for the coming year. The report was accepted as given.

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

We as Southern Baptists fully agree that our churches have a teaching function. Churches must teach the Bible. Historically Bible teaching has been the purpose of the Sunday School and this purpose has never been more in need than it is today. We believe the Bible is the guide that our people need to give meaning and direction to their life. Further, we believe that the teaching ministry is one of the highest callings that God gives. I submit to you Jesus who 2,000 years ago had to face the choice of his calling and he chose to be a teacher. Teachers, our challenge is great. Thank the Lord that you have been called to be a teacher and remember that you are privileged to spread the good news that changes the lives of men.

At this point we are looking forward to the new year. Your associational workers are people with broad experience and have dedicated themselves to helping our churches reach more people for Christ. Each of these workers are available to your church. We hope you can use us. We will be encouraging each of our churches who are not already doing so to consider the following projects this year.

(1) January Bible Study

(2) Vacation Bible School

(3) Regular Officers & Teachers Meetings

(4) Sunday School Preparation Week

(5) New Sunday School Achievement Guide

(6) Use of the new Life & Work Teaching Material

Our big project this year will be an Associational-wide Sunday School Director led Enlargement Campaign-October 19-24, 1968.

(1) Sunday School Board will furnish Director for each church

(2) Each church feed and house their Director (Except breakfast)

(3) Cost otherwise very nominal — $15 to $70

Important Dates

November 21, 1967 — Faith Baptist Church — 7 P.M. Associational wide Sunday School workers' meeting. Leon Kilbreth — one of the Convention's best Sunday School experts leading.

January 23, 1968 — Salisbury 1st Baptist — 7:30 P.M. (Asso-

ciation Executive Committee Meeting)

All pastors, education director, general superintendents and associates, Paul Kesterson — State Board leading — S. S. Enlargement.

As your associational workers, we count it a privilege to serve in these capacities. We pledge our best and trust that as individuals and churches and an association, we will be found faithful in performing the tasks assigned to our Sunday Schools.

Respectfully submitted,
HERMAN BLAKEMAN

38. Rev. Carl Kincaid, Pastor of the Franklin Baptist Mission, was recognized and brought the Training Union Report which was adopted by the group.

TRAINING UNION REPORT

One of the greatest needs in a local Baptist Church is to have a strong Christian Training program. In spite of this great need, only a small percentage of the total number of church members are involved in the training program of their church. This is an unhealthy spiritual development. The Christian's life is one of learning and doing and he is taught this in Training Union. Training Union is not a theoretical term but a vital, meaningful part of Christ's church.

Great strides are being made in Training Union. Admittedly, it started off as a youth organization but the potential of training union was clearly seen and programs of definite areas of work were developed. This resulted in the age-group emphasis with age-group leaders.

The Training Union still sponsors the various tournaments you're familiar with. For instance, The Speakers Tournament, The Sword Drill and so on.

Our Association has various types of meetings planned for the sole purpose of making your Training Union in your local church relevent to your development as a Christian. The Association's Training Union stands ready to assist any church that calls upon it for help. This offer of help will not be forced upon anyone; it will come as a result of your request.

Never before has the Christian Church needed trained workers as it does today. We need to believe that the training program of a church has a definite part in the total ministry of the church and that we need to actively support and participate in it.

Will you pray for the Training Union in your Church as well as the other churches? I challenge you to do so. Jesus commissioned us to go and make disciples of all nations . . . Teach them . . . This teaching commission begins right here at home. Will you accept this challenge from Christ?

Respectfully submitted,
CARL KINCAID

39. The Moderator expressed his gratitude for the fine cooperation and many fine things done by the people of the Rowan Association during his tenure of service as Moderator. Rev. Huff appointed the following to serve on the Program Committee for the coming year: Rev. Ronald McSwain, Chm., Rev. LeRoy Cooper, Mrs. G. W. Greene, Mrs. Junius Corriher (Note: according to the Constitution of the Rowan Baptist Association and its By-Laws, the Moderator and Associational Missionary will serve as ex officio members of all committees). Rev. Huff also appointed the following to serve on the Committee on Committees: Rev. Wade H. James, Chm., Mrs. James Elium, Mrs. E. Carr Choate, Sam Mayfield, Rev. Clarence Jenkins. At this point Rev. Huff turned the gavel over to Mr. Graham Carlton, incoming Moderator. Mr. Carlton expressed his appreciation for the privilege of serving.

40. Dr. J. T. Holland was recognized and moved that the Association express its sincere appreciation for the work of the outgoing Moderator, Rev. B. Lester Huff. The motion carried. Special music was rendered by Reverends Hayden Cartner and Clyde Chapman, "Have Thine Own Way," accompanied by Mrs. James L. McCoy at the piano.

41. Rev. Charles P. Burchette, Pastor of the First Baptist Church, Cooleemee, was presented by Mr. Graham Carlton. Rev. Burchette spoke on the subject "The Ministering Church", using the scriptures from Luke 9:23-24 and 26-27. The speaker stated that we know what the cross meant to Jesus, but what does it mean to us. He stressed the fact that we need to get involved with people in order to be able to understand and help them. If we do not carry our cross as Christian Soldiers, we are deserters. The Fortieth Annual Session of the Rowan Baptist Association closed with prayer by the incoming Moderator, Mr. Graham Carlton.

MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE ROWAN W.M.U.

The fortieth annual Rowan Baptist W. M. U. Associational Meeting was held April 10, 1967 with the Enon Church. Mrs. J. C. Scruggs, President, called the meeting to order at 6:30 P.M.

The theme of the meeting was "Grow In Knowledge" and the opening hymn "From Greenland's Icy Mountains" was led by Mrs. W. R. Julian.

The call to prayer was presented by Mrs. James McLeod, Associational Prayer Chairman, assisted by several ladies who called the names of our missionaries on the prayer calendar for the day. Mrs. McLeod led in prayer.

The financial statement was read by the Treasurer and the budget for the new year was presented and adopted.

The President recognized and welcomed the visitors and pastors present and expressed appreciation to the Enon Church for being host.

Mrs. Fant Kelly, Chairman of the Nominating Committee was recognized and she presented the following slate of officers for the new year:

President .....Mrs. J. C. Scruggs
198 N. Yadkin Ave., Spencer 28159

Vice-President.....Mrs. John E. Carter
Box 187, Faith 28041

Secretary-Treasurer.....Mrs. Herman Hood
210 N. Long St., Salisbury 28144

Y. W. A. Director.....Mrs. Luther Bullard
Rt. 6, Box 403-A, Salisbury

G. A. Director.....Mrs. Charles Hellard
2010 Rosemont St., Salisbury 28144

Sunbeam Director..... .....Mrs. E. J. Wagner
Rt. 4, Box 456, Salisbury 28144

Community Missions Chmn... .....Mrs. J. D. Whisnant
Rt. 8, Salisbury 28144

Prayer Chairman..... ..... Mrs. R. B. Motley
1938 Rosemont St., Salisbury 28144

Stewardship Chairman..... Mrs. J. M. Gupton
610 S. Church St., Salisbury 28144

Mission Study Chairman..... .....Mrs. Clyde Bias, Jr.
Hall St., East Spencer 28039

Literature Chairman.....Mrs. A. L. Rogers
312 W. Monroe St., Salisbury 28144

Chorister ..... Mrs. Frank Leach
628 W. Council St., Salisbury 28144

Pianist ..... Mrs. David Barker
404 Oakwood Drive, Spencer 28159

Nominating Committee For 1968-69..... Mrs. Clyde Raper
Five Forks, China Grove 28023
Mrs. Banks W. Mullis
Rt. 4, Box 333-E, Salisbury 28144
Mrs. B. H. Peeler
321 Calhoun St., Salisbury 28144

Submitted by:
Mrs. Fant Kelly
Mrs. Marvin Dameron
Mrs. W. R. Hoover

There was a motion and second to elect these officers as read and Rev. John Carter, Associational Missionary, led the prayer of dedication.

Mrs. David Barker, Y. W. A. Director, challenged the group to not neglect helping our young people to become mission minded. She used visual aids to present some of the problems that confront leadership and young people and some proposals that help in overcoming the problems. She gave a preview of planned missionary activities for Y. W. A.'s, G. A.'s and Sunbeams and urged the women to remember the dates and encourage the young people to attend.

Following this, the Associational Officers presented a playlet "The Woman Who Wanted to Go Into All the World" which impressed upon our hearts that each one can pray, give and witness. After the hymn "Hark, The Voice of Jesus Calling" special music was presented by Dr. Clyde Chapman who sang "All On The Altar". Mrs. John W. Patterson, who has served for eleven years with her husband in Cali, Colombia brought our missionary message emphasizing that education, food, Christian love and Gospel is needed in South America. She closed by reminding us that the greatest need on any mission field is for the Christian people in America to come back to God and realize that it is each individual Christian's job to win the world for Christ. Rev. John Carter led the closing prayer.

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. HERMAN HOOD
Secretary-Treasurer

Church Directories

ORDAINED MINISTERS

Calvary: E. F. Eagle.....Route 8, Salisbury 28144
Community: Archie Butts..... Little Rock, Ark. 72200
Cooleemee, First: Bill Creason.....73 Watt St., Cooleemee 27014
Dunn's Mountain: Lewis F. McLean.....Box 812, Salisbury 28144
Emmanuel: C. E. Wraight..... 603 4th St., Spencer 28159
James McLeod.....329 E. Bank, Salisbury 28144
Faith: John Carter.....Box 167, Faith 28041
Landis: Robert Steadman.....125 Carolina Ave., Salisbury 28144
Paul Spry.....900 Vance St., Landis 28088
Milford Hills: J. W. Loy.....118 Shamrock Dr., Salisbury 28144
Oakdale: J. W. Propst.....Box 405, Spencer 28159
Rockwell: M. T. Morton.....Route 1, Rockwell 28138
Salisbury, First: W. E. Haltom (Ch.)..... Box 105, Spencer 28159
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Stallings Memorial: J. H. Hill.....Klumac Road, Salisbury 28144
Lewis Williams.....Statesville 28677
Trading Ford: R. N. Huneycutt.....Rt. 4, Salisbury 28144
Trinity: Carl Kincaid.....102 Newton St., Spencer 28144
West Park: Ralph Stirewalt.....China Grove 28023

LICENSED MINISTERS

Calvary: Wade Bost.....1416 Filbert St., Salisbury 28144
Canaan: John M. Gobble..... .....Rt. 3, Salisbury 28144
J. B. Hinson..... .....Rt. 3, Box 569, Salisbury 28144
Odell Dover.....Rt. 3, Salisbury 28144
Community: C. W. Denham, 311 Oakwood Ave., Salisbury 28144
George Denham (Ch.) .....
111 Seventh St., Spencer 28159
Corriher Heights: Joe Draper..... Rt. 3, China Grove 28023
H. T. Davis.....Rt. 3, China Grove 28023
Faith: John Carter, Jr.....
Gardner Webb College, Boiling Springs 28041
Gold Hill: George Connell.....Gold Hill 28071
H. J. Linker.....Gold Hill 28071
Landis: J. D. Waugh.....Rt. 2, Box 504, China Grove 28023
Oakdale: Roy Young.....Box 1100, Salisbury 28144

Rowan Mills: George Bradshaw.....Rt. 2, Salisbury 28144
Bruce Allman.....Rt. 2, Box 757, Salisbury 28144
George Estes.....Rt. 6, Salisbury 28144
Spencer, First: George Scruggs.....
198 N. Yadkin Ave., Spencer 28159

MINISTERS LICENSED AND ORDAINED THIS YEAR

Emmanuel: Richard Morefield (L)....218 S. Long, Salisbury 28144
Landis: Millard Hill (O).....704 Elm St., Kannapolis 28081
Spencer, First: George Scruggs (L) .....
198 N. Yadkin Ave., Spencer 28159

MISSIONS

Franklin Mission—sponsored by Calvary Church.
Oakland Heights Mission—sponsored by Trading Ford Church.

VISUAL EDUCATION DIRECTOR

Rev. John Carter, Associational Missionary, Box 187, Faith, 28041.

PIANISTS AND ORGANISTS

Calvary.....Miss Nelda Chunn, Rt. 8, Salisbury 28144
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China Grove, First.....Mrs. R. J. Davis, 404 Chapel St., China Grove 28023
China Grove, South.....Mrs. Murray Jolly, 402 Kirk St., China Grove 28023
Community..Miss Kathy Hellard, Rt. 8, Box 610B, Salisbury 28144
Cooleemee, First.....Mrs. Margaret Brinegar, Box 94, Cooleemee 27014
Corriher Heights.....Miss Inez Broome, Box 582, Landis 28088
Dunn's Mountain.....Mrs. James L. McCoy, Rt. 5, Box 651, Salisbury 28144
East Corinth. Mrs. J. D. Goodman, Rt. 1, Box 171, Gold Hill 28071
East Spencer, First.....Mr. H. D. Shelton, Box 158, East Spencer 28039
Eastside....Mrs. Bernard Trexler, Rt. 5, Box 449, Salisbury 28144
Emmanuel....Miss Vickie Reep, 411 Rose Avenue, Salisbury 28144
Enon.....Mrs. Terry Menster, 800 7th St., Spencer 28159
Faith.....Mrs. Arthur Rodgers, Rt. 3, Box 927, Kannapolis, 28081
Gold Hill.....Mrs. Vera Eudy, Box 92, Gold Hill 28071

Grace....Miss Elaine Sullivan, 1108 E. 13th St., Kannapolis, 28081

Landis.....Billie Abernathy, Rt. 7, Salisbury 28144

Milford Hills.....Mrs. Barbara Hoffman, 723 Maupin Ave., Salisbury 28144

Needmore.....Mrs. Tommy Hendrix, Jr., Rt. 1, Woodleaf 27054

North Main Street.....Mrs. Kenneth Powell, 1612 N. Main St., Salisbury 28144

Oakdale....Mrs. Michael Lane, 414 Forestdale Drive, Spencer 28159

Pine Ridge.....Mrs. Bonnie Schenck, Rt. 2, China Grove 28023

Providence..Mrs. O. K. Everhart, 403 Verbal St., E. Spencer, 28039

Rockwell.....Mrs. Joe Robbins, Rt. 1, Box 72A, Salisbury 28144

Rowan Mills..Miss Ralphelle Smith, Rt. 2, Box 861, Salisbury 28144

Salisbury, First.....Vaughn Luckadoo, Rt. 6, Salisbury 28144

Southside.....Miss Linda Cope, 323 Rose Ave., Salisbury 28144

Spencer, First.....Miss Virginia Neister, 416 N. Rowan Ave., Spencer 28159

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Trading Ford.....Mrs. Grady Barber, Rt. 4, Salisbury 28144

Trinity.....Sylvia Beckom, 1107 Rowan Ave., Spencer 28159

West Corinth.....Mrs. James Miller, Rt. 3, Box 300, Mooresville, 28115

West Park.....Jackie Rogers, Rt. 2, Rockwell 28138

Wyatts Grove.....Miss Sue Beam, Rt. 1, Richfield 28137

Yadkin.....Mrs. Fleta Dennis, Rt. 8, Box 346, Salisbury 28144

Franklin Mission.....Mrs. Roy Parchment, Rt. 1, Salisbury 28144

Oakland Heights Mission.....Mrs. C. A. Beck, Box 465, East Spencer 28039

Statistical Tables

TABLE A CHURCH AND MEMBERSHIP

CHURCHES	PASTORS AND ADDRESSES (Include ZIP Code)	Year Organized	Location 1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-0	Number of Services 1-2-3-4	Number of Revivals Held	No. Local Missions Operated by Church	Total Baptisms	Other Additions (by Letter, Statement, etc.)	Members Lost (by Letter, Death, Revision Church Roll, etc.)	Present Resident Members	Present Nonresident Members	Grand Total Present Members	No. Members Received From Non-Baptist Churches	No. Members Lost to Non-Baptist Churches	Pastor's Annual Salary
Calvary	J. D. Whisnant, Route 8, Salisbury, 28144	1895	1	4	2	1	7	8	29	552	75	627		3	5,597
Canaan	J. D. Hogsed, Route 3, Box 603, Salisbury, 28144	1960	1	4	0		0	36		98	1	99			2,330
China Grove: First	R. O. Brinkley, 306 W. Patterson, China Grove, 28023	1888	3	4	1	1	5	8	6	278	91	369			6,153
China Grove: South	Gordon Pope, 505 Haney Street, China Grove, 28023	1928	3	4	2		6	9	2	186	40	226			5,655
Community	Larry C. Linker, Route 1, Box 155-A, Mt. Pleasant, 28124	1950	6	4	2	1	8	7	17	103	44	147	1	1	2,600
Cooleemee: First	Charles P. Burchette, P. O. Box 518, Cooleemee, 27014	1901	3	4	2		14	6	34	428	180	608	1	5	5,960
Corriher Heights	Harley Faulkenberry, 701 Terrace Drive, Kannapolis, 28081	1950	3	4	1		7	18	1	63	46	109	3		2,080
Dunn's Mountain	Ronald W. McSwain, Route 5, Box 630, Salisbury, 28144	1905	2	4	2		6	25	12	300	52	352	3	2	5,200
East Corinth	Joe King, Route 1, Box 175, Gold Hill, 28071	1867	1	4	2		5	1	2	79	52	131			4,050
East Spencer: First	Marvin Smith, Box 396, East Spencer, 28039	1921	3	4	2		2	1	4	111	29	140		1	3,900
Eastside	Lewis W. Archer, Route 1, Box 589, Salisbury, 28144	1953	1	4	1		9	2	6	57	18	75			2,080
Emmanuel	None	1950	4	4	2		0	9	9	277	40	317		1	5,720
Enon	L. S. Bullard, Route 6, Salisbury, 28144	1900	1	4			5	10	6	267	60	327	1	5	6,900
Faith	B. Lester Huff, Box 84, Faith, 28041	1898	3	4	2		9	13	21	279	32	311	3	1	5,980
Gold Hill	Mahlon Furr, Route 2, Gold Hill, 28071	1874	2	4	2		0	1	4	66	44	110	1		3,640
Grace	Harold J. Mason, 1502 Central Drive, Kannapolis, 28081	1942	6	4	1		1	2	8	162	101	263			5,200
Landis	None	1926	4	4	1		16	24	26	800	179	979	1		6,697
Milford Hills	John T. Holland, 1300 E. Colonial Drive, Salisbury, 28144	1960	7	4	1		13	59	8	276	6	282	7	2	6,000
Needmore	Wade H. James, Route 1, Woodleaf, 27054	1943	1	4	2		0	2	11	115	43	158			4,680
North Main Street	Ralph C. Hammett, 117 East 15th Street, Salisbury, 28144	1909	6	4	1		0	2	15	303	209	512			4,940
Oakdale	H. M. Hocutt, 113 Charles Street, Spencer, 28159	1925	4	4	1		13	9	20	420	75	495		4	7,020
Pine Ridge	W. S. Rollings, Route 2, China Grove, 28023	1948	1	4			16	7	3	93	53	146			5,200
Providence	James D. Wall, Route 1, Box 198, Kannapolis, 28081	1960	3	4				3	5	36	19	55			2,147
Rockwell	C. V. Talbert, Route 3, Salisbury, 28144	1906	3	4				5	7	150	50	200		3	4,860
Rowan Mills	Leroy Cooper, Route 2, Box 204, Salisbury, 28144	1925	2	4	2		15	5	21	289	168	457		4	4,940
Salisbury: First	M. Ray McKay, (Interim), 1000 Temple Dr., Raleigh, 27600	1849	5	4	1		30	22	77	915	135	1,050	5	9	10,000
Southside	Clarence Jenkins, 517 Morlan Park Road, Salisbury, 28144	1942	3	4	2		11	9	21	390	96	486	2		6,064
Spencer: First	Clyde D. Chapman, 216 Fifth Street, Spencer, 28159	1898	3	4	1		4	9	22	426	95	521	3	3	7,391
Stallings Memorial	Hayden M. Cartner, 710 Maupin Avenue, Salisbury, 28144	1899	5	4	2		21	20	22	727	110	837		2	8,320
Trading Ford	Banks W. Mullis, Route 4, Box 333E, Salisbury, 28144	1870	2	4	1	1	7	2	15	521	50	571		4	7,280
Trinty	Marvin W. Dameron, 611 Carolina Avenue, Spencer, 28159	1944	3	4	2	1	12	8	22	223	56	279	2	11	5,200
West Corinth	Horace Moree, Route 3, Mooresville, 28115	1894	1	4	2		3	3	16	198	28	226		15	5,460
West Park	James Allen Rogers, Route 2, Rockwell, 28138	1940	1	4	3		11	6	12	85	80	165	6		5,200
Wyatt's Grove	D. R. Curlee (Interim), Route 4, Box 248F, Kannapolis, 28081	1911	1	4	1		1		4	112	24	136			3,970
Yadkin	A. Joe Newton, Route 1, Linwood, 27299	1947	2	4	1		0	11	5	105	47	152			4,160
Franklin Mission	Carl Kincaid, 102 Newton Street, Spencer, 28159		2	4	1		1	9	3	157	35	192			3,380
Oakland Heights Mission	Kenneth Payne, Route 3, Box 12, Salisbury, 28144		6	4	1		2	6	3	94	10	104			2,405
TOTALS					50	5	260	377	499	9741	2473	12214	39	76	188,359

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TABLE B THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

CHURCHES	SUNDAY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENTS AND ADDRESSES (Include ZIP Code)	Cradle Roll Enrolmen (Home Ministry)	Nursery (Under 3) Enrolment	Beginners (4-5) Enrolment	Primaries (6-8) Enrolment	Juniors (9-12) Enrolment	Intermediates (13-16) Enrolment	Young People Single (17-24) Enrolment	Young People Married (17-24) Enrolment	Young People Away (17-24) Enrolment	Adults (25-34) Enrolment	Adults (35-64) Enrolment	Adults (65 up) Enrolment	Extension Dept. Enrolment	General Officers	Mission Enrolment	Total Enrolment	Average Weekly Attendance	No. New S.S. Classes Organized Past Year	Church V.B.S. Enrolment	Total V.B.S. Enrolment
Calvary	Perry Whisnant, Route 8, Salisbury, 28144		13	21	30	46	49	32	15	16	67	74	36	14	5		418	214		100	100
Canaan	J. C. Lambert, Route 2, Rockwell 28138		10	15	13	14	20	7			8	40			2		129	83	1	112	112
China Grove: First	K. L. Howard, 315 Park Street, China Grove, 28023	4	16	10	30	36	30	8			154				6	18	312	180		88	88
China Grove: South	Bob Talbert, Route 7, Salisbury, 28144	2	12	9	17	31	19	11	4	3	13	39	8	5	6		179	95		94	94
Community	J. D. Hellard, Route 8, Box 610B, Salisbury, 28144			6	5	10	7	4	6			21			3	92	154	121	1	71	71
Cooleemee: First	C. F. Ridenhour, Jr., Box 193, Cooleemee, 27014		25	11	39	46	33	37	10		52	117	42		3		415	190		154	154
Corriher Heights	Roy Burris, Box 582, Landis, 28088				4	11	13		11	2		24			4		69	40		53	53
Dunn's Mountain	James L. McCoy, Route 5, Box 651, Salisbury, 28144	3	22	14	17	30	25	31	21	10	9	100	16	10	5	10	323	185	2	125	125
East Corinth	Coy L. Morgan, 1011 Rosemary Ave., Kannapolis, 28081		8	4	8	9	10	8	9	3		15	12		6		92	66	1	55	55
East Spencer: First	Spurgeon Huneycutt, Box 25, East Spencer, 28039		6	8	19	25	15	8	2	2	8	41	4		2		140	79		64	64
Eastside	Walter Morrison, Route 5, Box 425, Salisbury, 28144		8	8	6	11	3	8	12			11			4		71	36	1	76	76
Emmanuel	James Lanning, 816 E. Franklin St., Salisbury, 28144		14	10	14	18	22	27		5	32	50	6	11	3		212	120		96	96
Enon	C. G. Wise, Route 1, Box 424, Salisbury, 28144	5	20	19	30	32	16	15	14		40	60	21	4	4		280	181	2	124	124
Faith	Duard L. Gardner, Box 111, Faith, 28041	3	33	17	31	17	29	28	22	6	28	97	5	23	5		344	178	1	130	130
Gold Hill	Larry Beaver, Route 2, China Grove, 28023		7	7	9	12	13	7				43					98	58		45	45
Grace	F. M. Stowe, 811 Carolyn Ave., Kannapolis, 28081		11	8	14	18	19	8			10	44	2		3		137	78		72	72
Landis	Bill Hodge, Route 7, Salisbury, 28144		29	63	49	78	54	88				230		13	11		615	474		170	170
Milford Hills	James C. Nicholson, 1116 Edgedale Dr., Salisbury, 28144		27	31	36	46	17	9	24	5	50	52		3	3		303	137	1	101	101
Needmore	G. M. Murph, Route 1, Box 102, Woodleaf, 27054			21	10	13	12		14	2	13	33			4		122	101		98	98
North Main Street	Howard Hilliard, 502 E. Lafayette St., Salisbury, 28144		11	11	32	25	28	19			23	30	49	12	3		243	130		95	95
Oakdale	Paul Hinkle, Box 191, Spencer, 28159		12	13	16	41	43	39		16		157		25	3		365	213		101	101
Pine Ridge	Winford Patterson, Route 2, China Grove, 28023		9	9	12	21	11	7	17		17	11			4		118	95		74	74
Providence	Mrs. Ernest Lowman, East Spencer, 28039					7	4	7			5	12	5		2		42	23			
Rockwell	David Boger, Route 1, Box 17, Rockwell, 28138		4	18	12	24	13	10	36		12		26		3		158	107		60	60
Rowan Mills	George Bradshaw, Route 2, Salisbury, 28144	3	4	18	17	37	21	8	19	5	16	69	21	15	6		259	173		104	104
Salisbury: First	Graham Carlton, 118 N. Fulton Str., Salisbury, 28144	15	56	39	48	71	123	54	16	50	100	189	91	45	8		905	379		152	152
Southside	J. O. Foster, 122 Dunham Avenue, Salisbury, 28144		11	14	24	27	20	16	7	1		86			3		209	150		114	114
Spencer: First	J. M. Crowell, Jr., 1001 Fourth St., Spencer, 28159	17	19	24	30	45	38	13	31	15		41	115	13	4		405			89	89
Stallings Memorial	Charles Hellard, 2010 Rosemont, Salisbury, 28144	5	50	29	63	77	87	30	38	15	70	100	81	30	7		682	372		221	221
Trading Ford	Lacy Barber, 900 N. Salisbury Ave., Spencer, 28159		25	20	30	39	38	15				213			4		384	235		150	150
Trinity	T. R. Wise, 1009 Fourth Street, Spencer, 28159		2	10	10	21	15	9	9		22	36	22	10	4	20	190	100		81	81
West Corinth	James W. Miller, Route 3, Box 300, Mooresville, 28115		14	10	15	20	17	16	19		16	19	18		4		168	94		69	69
West Park	Wesley Bumgarner, General Delivery, Rockwell, 28138		17	16	14	20	28		19			48					162	145			
Wyatt's Grove	W. M. Morgan, Route 1, Box 118B, Gold Hill, 28071		6	6	5	7	8	9			10		19		5		75	49		35	35
Yadkin	Elon Dennis, Route 1, Box 268, Linwood, 27299		11	11	11	10	6	11			12	27		31	13		143	94	1	67	67
Franklin Mission	John K. Hunter, Route 1, Salisbury, 28144		15	12	20	18	16	3	10	1	21	14	21	4	3		158	78	1	82	82
Oakland Heights Mission	Paul Wilson, P. O. Box 231, Salisbury, 28144				16	13	10		9		13	18			2		81	40		81	81
TOTALS		57	527	542	756	1026	932	602	394	157	821	2161	620	268	157	140	9160		12	3403	3403

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TABLE C TRAINING UNION

CHURCHES	TRAINING UNION DIRECTORS AND ADDRESSES (Include ZIP Code)	Nursery (under 3) Enrolment	Beginners (4-5) Enrolment	Primaries (6-8) Enrolment	Juniors (9-12) Enrolment	Intermediates (13-16) Enrolment	Young People Single (17-24) Enrolment	Young People Married (17-24) Enrolment	Adults (25-34) Enrolment	Adults (35-64) Enrolment	Adults (65 up) Enrolment	General Officers	Total Enrolment	Average Weekly Attendance	No. New Unions Organized Past Year
Calvary	Ed Russell, Route 8, Salisbury, 28144		2		4	9	9		8	6			38	18	
Canaan	None														
China Grove: First	Franklin Scarborough, 905 Klondale Street, China Grove, 28023			6	10	12	6		12			3	49		
China Grove: South	Alton C. Tate, Route 3, China Grove, 28023														
Community	Mrs. Betty Peeler, 321 Calhoun Street, Salisbury, 28144		1		7	6				20		1	35	26	
Cooleemee: First	Ray Jordan, Box 423, Cooleemee, 27014				15	18				5		2	40	23	1
Corriher Heights	None														
Dunn's Mountain	Mrs. John C. Dry, Route 5, Box 88, Salisbury, 28144		6	6	22	19	12			19	5	3	92	50	
East Corinth	J. D. Goodman, Route 1, Box 171, Gold Hill, 28071			7	4	5	6			8		3	33	25	
East Spencer: First	Mrs. Marvin Smith, Box 396, East Spencer, 28039			2	12	4				8		2	28	17	
Eastside	Grant Trexler, Route 5, Box 442, Salisbury, 28144	2	2	3	6	1	1	2	5	4		3	29	21	3
Emmanuel	C. L. Lentz, Route 5, Box 555, Salisbury, 28144	3	4	3	11	14				12		3	50	33	
Enon	Harold Cartner, Route 1, Box 176A, Woodleaf, 27054	9	6	11	14	6	12		8	10	3	3	82	45	
Faith	Howard Horton, Route 2, Box 67, Rockwell, 28138	7	5	8	20	19	12			38		4	113	51	1
Gold Hill	None														
Grace	John Sullivan, 1108 E. 13th Street, Kannapolis, 28081			6	11	4	3			17		2	43	19	
Landis	Steve Rollins, 1002 Robinhood Lane, Kannapolis, 28081	3	6	4	27	13		8	12	29		6	108	98	
Milford Hills	None	10	11	19	14	12			20	10			96	50	7
Needmore	Mrs. Bell Moore, Route 1, Woodleaf, 27054		3	4	5	8				14	7	2	43	36	
North Main Street	Mrs. B. W. Hendrix, Route 6, Box 468, Salisbury, 28144	3	4	14	11	10	6	6	4	15	11	4	88	37	
Oakdale	Junius Corriher, Route 8, Box 436, Salisbury, 28144			9	14	12	18		8	23		3	87	52	
Pine Ridge	Mrs. Madeline Valentine, 102 West 18th Street, Kannapolis, 28081		4	4	8	8			10	8		2	44	32	
Providence	Mrs. Howard Lowman, Box 461, East Spencer, 28039			3	5	6	6	2		9		2	33	16	
Rockwell	E. Maners, Route 1, Rockwell, 28138			4	10	7			10		6	2	39	25	
Rowan Mills	Bill Raymer, Route 2, Salisbury, 28144			4	7	5				12		4	32	30	
Salisbury: First	Elbert Culp, Route 6, Salisbury, 28144	12	6	20	20	34	36			30		2	160	50	
Southside	None														
Spencer: First	W. S. Baker, 511 S. Yadkin Avenue, Spencer, 28159	3		17	7	5			10	22		3	67		
Stallings Memorial	Roby I. Linebarger, 136 Dunham Ave., Salisbury, 28144	2	5	19	31	34	10		14	15	18	4	152	80	
Trading Ford	Ronald G. Queen, Route 4, Box 457, Salisbury, 28144		8	7	14	14					15	2	60	23	
Trinity	W. J. Smith, Route 8, Salisbury, 28144	3	2	4	4	5	4	6	7	34	2	3	74	32	
West Corinth	Mrs. Horace Moree, Route 3, Mooresville, 28115	1	1	5	5	8	3			15	5	3	46	26	
West Park	None														
Wyatt's Grove	None														
Yadkin	None														
Franklin Mission	Jim Brown, Route 1, Sells Road, Salisbury, 28144	1	5	3	4	7		3		12		2	37	21	
Oakland Heights Mission	Mrs. Kenneth Payne, Route 3, Box 12, Salisbury, 28144														
TOTALS		59	81	192	322	305	144	27	128	395	72	73	1798		12

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TABLE D MUSIC MINISTRY

CHURCHES	MUSIC DIRECTOR AND ADDRESSES (Include ZIP Code)	Beginners (4-5) Enrolment	Primaries (6-8) Enrolment	Juniors (9-12) Enrolment	Intermediates (13-16) Enrolment	Young People Single Married Enrolment	Adults Enrolment	Ensembles, Chorus, Etc. Enrolment	General Officers	Total Enrolment	Average Weekly Attendance	No. Choirs, Ensembles Organized Past Year
Calvary	Mrs. Ed Russell, Route 8, Salisbury, 28144			15			20			35	15	
Canaan	J. B. Hinson, Route 3, Box 569, Salisbury, 28144											
China Grove: First	Patsy Hudson, 20 Rose Avenue, China Grove, 28023						25			25	20	
China Grove: South	William C. Abernathy, Route 7, Box 425-C, Salisbury, 28144		7	12	10	4	18	1		52	40	
Community	Roy F. Daugherty, Route 2, China Grove, 28023											
Cooleemee: First	Lynn Hopkins, Route 8, Box 178A, Salisbury, 28144	4		20			28		2	54	41	
Corriher Heights	J. M. Watts, 1213 East 11th Street, Kannapolis, 28081											
Dunn's Mountain	Grover C. Miller, Route 5, Box 648, Salisbury, 28144	4	6	15	4	5	16		6	56	25	
East Corinth	J. D. Goodman, Route 1, Box 171, Gold Hill, 28071			1	2	7	9		2	21	18	
East Spencer: First	Robert S. Shelton, 1802 Rosemont Street, Salisbury, 28144					7	8		4	19	12	
Eastside	Grey Morrison, Route 5, Box 425, Salisbury, 28144					4	7		2	13	11	
Emmanuel	E. L. Bradshaw, 500 East Cemetery Street, Salisbury, 28144			10	15	7	10			42		
Enon	Arnold B. Poteat, Route 1, Box 170, Salisbury, 28144											
Faith	Mrs. J. C. Arey, Route 3, Box 56, Salisbury, 28144					8	27		5	40	29	
Gold Hill	George Connell, Gold Hill, 28071											
Grace	Mrs. Dorothy Hardin, 1800 Cooper Avenue, Kannapolis, 28081						24			24	18	
Landis	Bobby Childress, 13th Street, Kannapolis, 28081				10	20	45	4		79		
Milford Hills	Mrs. Erna Lee Jones, 1621 Statesville Blvd., Salisbury, 28144	11	19	14	12		17		2	75	12	3
Needmore	G. M. Murph, Route 1, Woodleaf, 27054											
North Main Street	Mrs. B. W. Hendrix, Route 6, Box 468, Salisbury, 28144	5	8	10	12	28			2	65	30	
Oakdale	Dr. Marvin Wigginton, Catawba College, Salisbury, 28144			20			16			36	24	1
Pine Ridge	Mrs. Lee Crawford, Route 2, Box 407, China Grove, 28023						18			18	14	
Providence	Mrs. O. K. Everhardt, 403 Verbal Street, East Spencer, 28039											
Rockwell	Wentworth Beck, Box 172, Faith, 28041			23			20			43		
Rowan Mills	None			5	6	9	22			42	35	
Salisbury: First	Mrs. R. M. Gregory, 617 Catawba Road, Salisbury, 28144	14	19	28	18	22	20	9	2	132	104	1
Southside	Norman C. Harris, Route 3, Box 94, Salisbury, 28144											
Spencer: First	Miss Lucille Epperson, Catawba College, 28144			12			20			32		
Stallings Memorial	Charles R. Bolden, Route 1, Box 713, Salisbury, 28144			25	20		20		2	67	45	3
Trading Ford	Edwin E. Koontz, Route 4, Salisbury, 28144			12			24		4	40	25	
Trinity	O. Ray Vess, Route 7, Box 730, Salisbury, 28144	7	5		17		18		2	49	24	
West Corinth	James W. Miller, Route 3, Box 300, Mooresville, 28115					6	16			22	18	1
West Park	Edgar Canupp, Chestnut St., Kannapolis, 28081											
Wyatt's Grove	Herman File, Route 8, Box 534, Salisbury, 28144				7	8	12		2	29	22	
Yadkin	Tommy Lanning, Box 1100, Salisbury, 28144											
Franklin Mission	Mrs. Ruth Ball, Route 1, Salisbury, 28144					5	10		2	17	14	
Oakland Heights Mission	None											
TOTALS		45	64	222	133	140	470	14	39	1127		9

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TABLE E BROTHERHOOD WORK

CHURCHES	PRESIDENTS OR DIRECTORS OF MEN'S BROTHERHOODS AND ADDRESSES (Include ZIP Code)	Crusaders (9-11) Chapters	Crusaders (9-11) Enrolment	Pioneers (12-14) Chapters	Pioneers (12-14) Enrolment	Ambassadors (15-17) Chapters	Ambassadors (15-17) Enrolment	Total RA Chapters	Total RA Enrolment	Baptist Men Enrolment	Total Men Enrolled	Total Enrolment
Calvary	Robert Dudley, Route 8, Salisbury, 28144	1	6	1	9			2	15	12	12	27
Canaan	Leon Lambert, Route 2, Rockwell, 28138	1	15					1	15			15
China Grove: First	James C. Davis, 821 S. Bostian Street, China Grove, 28023					1	14	1	14	38	38	52
China Grove: South	None	1	18					1	18			18
Community	None									9	9	9
Cooleemee: First	None	1	17	1	9			2	26			26
Corriher Heights	None											
Dunn's Mountain	Clarence Bost, Jr., Route 5, Box 635-A, Salisbury, 28144			1	12			1	12	25	25	37
East Corinth	None											
East Spencer: First	None											
Eastside	None											
Emmanuel	Richard Morefield, 218 S. Long Street, Salisbury, 28144	1	9	1	8			2	17			17
Enon	Richard Cooley, Route 1, Box 222, Salisbury, 28144	1	15					1	15	24	24	39
Faith	W. J. Ritchie, Box 82, Faith, 28041	1	8	1	9			2	17	25	25	42
Gold Hill	None											
Grace	None			1	8			1	8			8
Landis	Howard Rary, Box 213, China Grove, 28023	1	13					1	13	22	22	35
Milford Hills	Clyde W. Earp, Box 1553, Salisbury, 28144	1	18					1	18	60	60	78
Needmore	None											
North Main Street	Kenneth Powell, 1612 N. Main Street, Salisbury, 28144	1	5			1	8	2	13	31	31	44
Oakdale	None	1	5	1	8	1	3	3	16			16
Pine Ridge	Earl Morgan, Route 2, China Grove, 28023	2	24					2	24	12	12	36
Providence	None											
Rockwell	Paul Jones, Route 1, Rockwell, 28138					1	11	1	11	16	16	27
Rowan Mills	None											
Salisbury: First	None	1	5	1	5	1	6	3	16			16
Southside	None											
Spencer: First	H. G. Henderson, Route 8, Salisbury, 28144									25	25	25
Stallings Memorial	C. Reuben Hellard, 1931 Rosemont Street, Salisbury, 28144	1	29	1	16	1	8	3	53	43	43	96
Trading Ford	Bill W. Turner, Route 4, Salisbury, 28144					1	10	1	10	25	25	35
Trinity	J. M. Clark, Route 2, Box 231, Salisbury, 28144	1	5		6			1	11	12	12	23
West Corinth	Edgar Overcash, 1910-B South Main Street, Kannapolis, 28081	1	4	1	7	1	3	3	14			14
West Park	Edgar Canupp, 342 Chestnut Street, Kannapolis, 28081									21	21	21
Wyatt's Grove	None											
Yadkin	Elon Dennis, Route 1, Box 268, Linwood, 27299	1	6					1	6	15	15	21
Franklin Mission	Harold E. Hamilton, Route 1, Box 396, Salisbury, 28144			1	7			1	7	17	17	24
Oakland Heights Mission	None											
TOTALS		18	202	11	104	8	63	37	369	432	432	801

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TABLE F WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

CHURCHES	WMU PRESIDENTS AND ADDRESSES (Include ZIP Code)	WMS Organizations	WMS Enrolment	Ungraded YWA Organizations	Ungraded YWA Enrolment	High School YWA Org.	High School YWA Enrolment	Ungraded GA Organizations	Ungraded GA Enrolment	Intermediate GA Organizations	Intermediate GA Enrolment	Junior GA Organizations	Junior GA Enrolment	Ungraded Sunbeam Band Organizations	Ungraded Sunbeam Band Enrolment	Primary Sunbeam Band Organizations	Primary Sunbeam Band Enrolment	Beginner Sunbeam Band Organizations	Beginner Sunbeam Band Enrolment	Sunbeam Nursery Organizations	Sunbeam Nursery Enrolment	GRAND TOTAL ORGANIZATIONS	GRAND TOTAL ENROLMENT
Calvary	None	1	31	1	15					1	12	1	17			1	17	1	12			6	104
Canaan	Mrs. Betty Oxendine, 504 Yadkin Ave., Spencer 28159	1	24							1	8	1	6			1	12	1	9	1	4	6	63
China Grove: First	Mrs. R. R. Hunter, Route 2, China Grove, 28023	1	38	1	5					1	6	1	5	1	15							5	69
China Grove: South	Mrs. J. C. Dover, 215 N. Chapel Street, Landis, 28088	1	27							1	5	1	14									3	46
Community	Mrs. George Denham, Jr., 111 Seventh St., Spencer 28159	1	12					1	10					1	2							3	24
Cooleemee: First	Mrs. Frank Seders, Box 142, Cooleemee, 27014	1	41									1	16			1	19	1	5			4	81
Corriher Heights	Mrs. Carleen Crouch, Route 3, China Grove, 28023	1	25																			1	25
Dunn's Mountain	Mrs. S. A. Mayfield, Route 5, Box 639-A, Salisbury, 28144	1	35	1	16					1	5	1	15	1	9	1	12	1	7	1	9	8	108
East Corinth	Miss Jenette Goodman, Route 1, Box 209, Gold Hill, 28071	1	13							1	5	1	3	1	6							4	27
East Spencer: First	Mrs. W. L. Vincent, Box 414, East Spencer, 28039	1	32			1	5			1	3	1	8			1	6	1	12			6	66
Eastside	Mrs. Grey Morrison, Route 5, Box 425, Salisbury, 28144	1	7																			1	7
Emmanuel	Mrs. Anna Harrelson, Route 4, Box 125-A, Salisbury, 28144	1	20							1	9	1	10	1	12							4	51
Enon	Mrs. Ned Norris, 1824 Statesville Blvd., Salisbury, 28144	1	48							1	5	1	6			1	10	1	10			5	79
Faith	Mrs. Bill Wilhelm, Route 3, Box 535, Salisbury, 28144	1	76	1	9					1	12	2	17			1	15	2	17	3	25	11	171
Gold Hill	None																						
Grace	Mrs. Mabel Edgison, 1408 Martha Ave., Kannapolis, 28081	1	20							1	5	1	12	1	9							4	46
Landis	Mrs. Kat Benson, Kimbaltown, China Grove, 28023	1	76	1	14					1	12	1	15			1	20	1	20	1	19	7	176
Milford Hills	Mrs. Margaret Lindsay, 1259 E. Colonial Dr., Salis., 28144	2	24									1	9			1	10	1	6			5	49
Needmore	Mrs. Wade H. James, Route 1, Woodleaf, 27054	1	10							1	7					1	8					3	25
North Main Street	Mrs. A. L. Collins, 313 N. Boundry St., Salisbury, 28144	1	41			1	11			1	3	1	7			1	7	1	8			6	77
Oakdale	Mrs. W. L. Noles, Route 4, Salisbury, 28144	1	102	1	5					1	11	1	8			1	11	1	7	1	5	7	149
Pine Ridge	Mrs. Faye Patterson, Route 2, China Grove, 28023	1	15													1	9	1	9			3	33
Providence	Mrs. C. D. Beckom, Box 63, East Spencer, 28039	1	15																			1	15
Rockwell	Mrs. Carolyn Jones, Route 1, Box 184, Rockwell, 28138	1	15							1	5	1	9			1	9	1	2			5	40
Rowan Mills	Mrs. Bill Gaskey, Airport Road, Salisbury, 28144	1	20							1	5	2	13			1	7	1	3			6	48
Salisbury: First	Mrs. Paul C. Goble, 1623 W. Colonial Dr., Salisbury, 28144	1	162			1	7			1	29	1	21			1	19	1	14	1	17	7	269
Southside	Mrs. Peggy Buff, Route 3, Salisbury, 28144	1	26							1	13	1	18	1	7							4	64
Spencer: First	Mrs. Fant Kelly, 304 N. Yadkin Ave., Spencer, 28159	1	95							1	16	1	12	1	32							4	155
Stallings Memorial	Mrs. W. R. Hoover, 1620 S. Main St., Salisbury, 28144	1	113			1	7			2	17	1	18			1	19	1	7	1	8	8	189
Trading Ford	Mrs. Grady Queen, Route 4, Salisbury, 28144	1	79			1	9			1	6	1	9			1	12	1	5			6	120
Trinity	Mrs. W. M. Dameron, 611 Carolina Ave., Spencer, 28159	1	33	1	6					1	7	1	11	1	6							5	63
West Corinth	Mrs. R. W. Coone, Route 3, Mooresville, 28115	1	24									1	4	1	15							3	43
West Park	Mrs. Barbara Rogers, Route 2, Rockwell, 28138	1	14																			1	14
Wyatt's Grove	None																						
Yadkin	Mrs. Tommy Lanning, Box 1100, Salisbury, 28144	1	18																			1	18
Franklin Mission	Mrs. Robert Shoaf, Route 1, Box 252, Salisbury, 28144	1	11							1	3	1	7			1	7	1	6			5	34
Oakland Heights Mis.	Mrs. Tate Bagget, 1521 E. Council St., Salisbury, 28144	1	13											1	8							2	21
TOTALS		36	1355	7	70	5	39	1	10	25	209	28	290	11	121	19	229	19	159	9	87	160	2569

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TABLE G BUILDING—CHURCH LIBRARY

CHURCHES	CHAIRMEN OF DEACONS AND ADDRESSES (Include ZIP Code)	Value of Pastor's Home	Value of Church Property (including Pastor's Home)	Total Church Debt at End of Assoc. Year	Total Amount Paid on Church Debt This Assoc. Year	Does Church Have: Kindergarten	Recreation Committee	VBS	State Paper in Budget	Church Cabinet	Church Council	Does Church Have: Church Library	Christian Life Committee	Christmas—1966	Student Night	Stewardship Committee	Mission VBS	Cooperative Program % of Budget	Associational Missions Goal as % of Budget
						(yes or no)						(yes or no)							
Calvary	William Simerson, Route 8, Salisbury, 28144	12,000	130,000			**	**	*	**	*		*	**	*	**	*		20%	$400
Canaan	J. B. Hinson, Route 3, Box 569, Salisbury, 28144	11,500	33,650	20,800	1,944	**	**	*	**	**		**	**	**	**	**			
China Grove: First	Winfred Whicker, Patterson St., Ext., China Grove, 28023	5,000	153,500	14,000	7,021	**	*	*		*		*	**	*	*	**		14%	1½%
China Grove: South	William C. Abernathy, Route 7, Box 425-C, Salisbury, 28144	15,000	100,000	1,175	2,400	**	**	*	**	**		**	**	**	**	**		5%	1.4%
Community	Roy Daugherty, Route 2, China Grove, 28023		25,000	8,500	3,898	**	**	*	**	**		**	**	**	**	**		9%	2%
Cooleemee: First	E. C. Tatum, Jr., Route 4, Mocksville, 27028	30,000	185,000	14,927	4,640	**	**	*	*	*		**	**	*	**	**			
Corriher Heights	E. W. Haynes, Route 3, China Grove, 28023		40,000	1,319	535	**	**	*	**	**		**	**	**	**	**			
Dunn's Mountain	C. M. Miller, Jr., Route 5, Box 646, Salisbury, 28144	10,000	195,000			**	**	*	**	*		*	**	*	**	**		9%	2%
East Corinth	Coy L. Morgan, 1011 Rosemary Ave., Kannapolis, 28081	10,000	65,000	1,500	200	**	*	*	**	**		**	**	*	**	**		7%	4%
East Spencer: First	J. W. Bean, Route 4, Box 352, Salisbury, 28144	16,000	37,500			**	**	*	**	*		**	**	**	**	**		10%	110
Eastside	Walter Morrison, Route 5, Box 425, Salisbury, 28144		25,000			**	**	*	**	**		**	**	**	**	**		10%	
Emmanuel	James Lanning, 816 E. Franklin Street, Salisbury, 28144	23,000	111,000	9,657	5,111	**	**	*	**	**		*	**	*	**	**		12%	2%
Enon	Theo Hellard, Route 6, Salisbury, 28144	20,000	120,000		8,277	**	*	*	*	*		*	**	*	**	**		12%	1.4%
Faith	Howard Horton, Route 2, Box 67, Rockwell, 28138	16,500	200,000	36,105	7,162	**	**	*	**	*		*	**	*	**	**		37%	2%
Gold Hill	Harry L. Beaver, Route 2, Box 419-A, China Grove, 28023	8,500	16,500			**	**	*	**	**		**	**	**	**	**			
Grace	Horace Gentle, 2000 Brantley Road, Kannapolis, 28081	30,000	154,800	16,424	2,880	**	**	*	**	**		**	**	*	*	**		2%	1/3%
Landis	C. C. Fain, Rockwell Road, China Grove, 28023	18,000	279,000		12,210	**		*	**	**		**	**	**	**	**			
Milford Hills	Donald E. Jones, 1323 Larchmont, Salisbury, 28144	30,000	130,000	25,925	6,097	**	*	*	**	*		*	**	*	*	**			
Needmore	Brady Seamon, Box 72, Cleveland, 27013		40,430		5,146	**	*	*	**	**		**	**	**	**	**		6%	2%
North Main Street	J. H. Brower, 202 E. 13th Street, Salisbury, 28144	26,364	117,910	10,731	5,800	**	**	*	**	*		**	**	**	*	**		14%	
Oakdale	Luther Y. Weant, 938 Third Street, Spencer, 28159	7,600	107,000			**	**	*	**	**		*	**	*	**	**		10%	1½%
Pine Ridge	John Luther, 44 Rose Avenue, China Grove, 28023			6,723	1,164	**	**	*	**	**		*	**	**	**	**		8%	4%
Providence	None		20,000	2,595	360	**	**	**	**	**		**	**	**	**	**			
Rockwell	None		40,000					*				*		*				15%	
Rowan Mills	None	25,000	80,000			**	**	*	**	**		**	**	**	**	**		10%	100
Salisbury: First	E. S. Smoot, 830 Maple Avenue, Salisbury, 28144	35,000	1,000,000	200,000	29,666	**	**	*	**	*		*	**	*	**	**		5%	1%
Southside	James Black, Route 7, Salisbury, 28144	26,000	130,000	32,000	4,800			*		*								600	100
Spencer: First	Jack Pickett, 608 Tenth St., Spencer, 28159	25,000	300,000	15,396	8,100	**	**	*	**			*	**		**	**			
Stallings Memorial	James C. Elium, Route 5, Box 705, Salisbury, 28144	12,000	275,000	10,300	15,700	**	**	*	**	*		*	**	*	**	**		13%	1.5%
Trading Ford	A. T. Koontz, Route 4, Salisbury, 28144	20,000	160,000	3,761	7,280	**	**	*	**	**		*	**	**	**	**		6.7%	1.7%
Trinity	D. F. Wise, 801 Third Street, Spencer, 28159	10,000	80,000	5,083	1,250	**	*	*	**			*	**	**	**	**		12%	3%
West Corinth	L. M. Honeycutt, Route 3, China Grove, 28023	12,000	85,000	13,766	3,655	**	**	*	*	*		*	**	**	**	**		12%	3%
West Park	Denver Watkins, Route 7, Salisbury, 28144	18,000	76,850	28,000	3,004	**	**	**	**	**		**	**	**	**	**			
Wyatt's Grove	W. M. Morgan, Route 1, Box 118-B, Gold Hill, 28071	11,600	50,600	224	886	**	**	*	**	*		**	**	**	**	**		1/3%	½%
Yadkin	George Mahala, Route 1, Linwood, 27299	12,000	20,000	8,000	960	**	**	*	**	*		**	**	**	**	**		4%	4%
Franklin Mission	None		40,000	24,142	3,544	**	**	*	**	*		*	**	**	**	**		12%	
Oakland Heights Mission	None		28,000	7,508	1,873			*										6%	4%
TOTALS		496,064	4,651,740	518,561	155,563														

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TABLE H TOTAL RECEIPTS, LOCAL EXPENDITURES, AND STEWARDSHIP INFORMATION

CHURCHES	TREASURERS AND ADDRESSES (Include ZIP Code)	Number of Tithers	Budget Prom. or Emphasis Used: None	Forward Program	Growth in Christian Stewardship	Other	Total Receipts From Gifts	Pastor's Salary	Other Church Staff Salaries	Local Mission Expenditures	Money Spent New Construction Past Year: Local Church	Mission	All Other Local Expenditures	Total Local Expenditures
Calvary	Mrs. Frances McGarity, Route 1, Salisbury, 28144	80	*				23,325	5,597	1,544			600	7,198	14,939
Canaan	Lawrence Watts, Box 144, Faith, 28041	32					8,013	2,330					656	2,986
China Grove: First	Sam R. May, Jr., E. Thom Street, China Grove, 28023	75		*			31,366	6,153	3,030				14,397	23,580
China Grove: South	Grant W. Freeze, P.O. Box 123, China Grove, 28023	30			*		13,959	5,655	1,095				6,504	13,254
Community	Roy F. Daugherty, Route 2, China Grove, 28023	35	*				8,000	2,560	455		177		4,112	7,304
Cooleemee: First	Robert W. Jordan, P. O. Box 365, Cooleemee, 27014	70			*		36,069	5,960	4,388		2,000		13,569	25,917
Corriher Heights	Mrs. Ruby Cook, Route 3, Box 151, China Grove, 28023	18			*		4,686	2,080	520				2,085	4,685
Dunn's Mountain	S. A. Mayfield, Route 5, Box 639-A, Salisbury, 28144					*	25,043	5,200	3,317				7,980	16,497
East Corinth	J. D. Goodman, Route 1, Box 171, Gold Hill, 28071	25	*				11,152	3,900	460		6,552		2,879	13,791
East Spencer: First	J. W. Bean, Route 4, Box 352, Salisbury, 28144				*		8,020	3,900					3,064	6,964
Eastside	Mrs. Larry Barnard, 1431 Hillsboro Street, Salisbury, 28144	14	*				3,550	2,080	162	50	885		986	4,163
Emmanuel	Richard Eller, P. O. Box 593, Salisbury, 28144		*				23,833	5,720	2,180				11,397	19,297
Enon	Mrs. Harold B. Cartner, Route 1, Box 176-A, Woodleaf, 27054						31,427	5,225	2,944				16,572	24,741
Faith	J. C. Eagle, Route 3, Box 111, Salisbury, 28144	111					33,900	5,980	1,320				17,300	24,600
Gold Hill	Harry L. Beaver, Route 2, Box 419-A, China Grove, 28023	15	*				6,185	3,635	320				1,728	5,683
Grace	James Hubbard, 608 W. Eighth Street, Kannapolis, 28081	45				*	17,624	5,200	1,790				8,337	15,327
Landis	Herman Rutledge, Villa Avenue, Kannapolis, 28081	175	*				73,488	6,891	9,463	3,059	15,091		21,472	55,976
Milford Hills	James B. Edwards, 137 Milford Drive, Salisbury, 28144	30		*			28,228	5,850	2,188		20,612		12,936	41,586
Needmore	J. L. Hensley, Route 1, Woodleaf, 27054	20					12,251	2,837	215				7,771	10,823
North Main Street	J. H. Brower, 202 E. 13th Street, Salisbury, 28144		*				22,694	4,940	2,571				11,200	18,711
Oakdale	J. C. Coppley, 115 Herman Street, Spencer, 28159	100			*		30,484	7,020	3,320				5,105	15,445
Pine Ridge	Norman Valentine, 102 W. 18th Street, Kannapolis, 28081	33	*				10,850	3,353	1,100		1,437		1,300	7,190
Providence	Mrs. Nora Poteat, P. O. Box 427, East Spencer, 28039	16					4,201	2,147					1,852	3,999
Rockwell	Wentworth Beck, Box 172, Faith, 28041						15,713	4,860	619		11,500		3,239	20,218
Rowan Mills	Arnold Beck, 1227 Bell Street, Salisbury, 28144		*				21,098	4,680	720		5,026		3,517	13,943
Salisbury: First	John Burdette, 400 D Avenue, Salisbury, 28144					*	120,000	6,250	28,280				78,036	112,566
Southside	Charles R. Evans, Route 2, Salisbury, 28144	65					22,000	4,692			6,000			10,692
Spencer: First	A. A. Lomax, 901 Fifth Street, Spencer, 28159	18					35,388	7,391					20,926	28,317
Stallings Memorial	Charles E. Summers, 901 Richard Street, Salisbury, 28144	200				*	61,423	8,190	7,495		4,205		32,930	52,820
Trading Ford	Elon F. Massey, Route 4, Box 493, Salisbury, 28144	135	*				35,699	7,280	2,734	1,175	529		18,049	29,767
Trinity	Mrs. L. D. Eller, 906 S. Carolina Avenue, Spencer, 28159	24	*				15,882	5,200	1,040				6,583	12,823
West Corinth	R. W. Coone, Route 3, Mooresville, 28115	51					20,205	5,460					8,967	14,427
West Park	Jack B. Johnson, P. O. Box 123, Granite Quarry, 28072	48					16,022	5,215	600		7,675		2,526	16,016
Wyatt's Grove	Hubert File, Route 4, Box 248-A, Salisbury, 28144	17	*				6,625	3,970	400	330	935		739	6,374
Yadkin	C. L. Wilkerson, Box 1100, Salisbury, 28144	24					7,051	3,440	340		260		1,725	5,765
Franklin Mission	Mrs. Thelma Morgan, Route 1, Salisbury, 28144	50	*				12,700	2,305	300				6,414	9,019
Oakland Heights Mission	James Thompson, 1807 N. Long Street, East Spencer, 28039	12					5,491	2,405					2,806	5,211
TOTALS		1568					863,645	175,551	84,910	4,614	82,884	600	366,857	715,416

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TABLE I MISSION EXPENDITURES

CHURCHES	CLERKS OF CHURCHES AND ADDRESSES (Include ZIP Code)	Cooperative Program	Associational Missions Program	Designated: State Missions	Designated: SBC Home Missions	Designated: SBC Foreign Missions	Designated: Christian Education (Schools, etc.)	Designated: Children's Homes (cash plus goods)	Designated: Hospitals	Designated: Homes for the Aged	Designated: All Other (Bible Society, Temperance League, etc.)	Total Mission Expenditures
Calvary	Frank Sides, Route 8, Box 162, Salisbury, 28144	3,948	425	98	192	2,327	40	333	206	92	214	7,875
Canaan	Mrs. J. D. Hogsed, Route 3, Box 603, Salisbury, 28144				464	420			13			897
China Grove: First	Mrs. Lewis Winecoff, Route 2, Box 70-E, China Grove, 28023	3,939	632	52		840	217	104	125	104		6,013
China Grove: South	Mrs. William C. Abernathy, Route 7, Box 425-C, Salisbury, 28144	600	200	17	59	127		19	47		35	1,104
Community	Mrs. George Denham, Jr., 111 Seventh Str., Spencer, 28159	536	160									696
Cooleemee: First	Mrs. Dave Cover, P. O. Box 36, Cooleemee, 27014	6,364	654	150	767	1,732		200	185		100	10,152
Corriher Heights	Mrs. Hilda Woodard, Route 3, Box 306-E, China Grove, 28023										23	23
Dunn's Mountain	Donald J. Livengood, Route 5, Box 91, Salisbury, 28144	2,249	500	267	354	1,221	240	333	275	204	94	5.737
East Corinth	Mrs. Irene A. Morgan, Route 1, Box 154, Gold Hill, 28071	543	310	12	10	21	15	15	33	15		974
East Spencer: First	Mrs. Richard C. Gobble, Route 8, Box 510, Salisbury, 28144	607	100	33	46	157	23	25	40	15	10	1,056
Eastside	Mrs. Bernard Trexler, Route 5, Box 449, Salisbury, 28144	290	110	20	14	138	4	67	17	6		666
Emmanuel	Mrs. Lillie Messick, 525A Park Avenue, Salisbury, 28144	2,473	408	34	280	527	4	66	57	37	85	3,971
Enon	Richard A. Wood, Route 6, Salisbury, 28144	3,364	400	28	250	1,200		698	153	33	163	6.289
Faith	W. J. Ritchie, Box 82, Faith, 28041	7,867	528	121	232	1,000	6	46	281		249	10,330
Gold Hill	Wayne Taylor, Box 143, Gold Hill, 28071	10	15	8		5		11	25	6		80
Grace	Mrs. Lois Hubbard, 608 W. Eighth Street, Kannapolis, 28081	150	60	14	44	268		17	27	20	1,013	1,613
Landis	Reid Benfield, Route 7, Box 447, Salisbury, 28144		480		57	3,166	300	2,285	500			6,788
Milford Hills	Sam L. Hoffman, 723 Maupin Avenue, Salisbury, 28144	1,110	100	45	302	764		48	97	35	94	2,595
Needmore	Miss Gladys Safriet, Route 1, Woodleaf, 27054	419	120	32	54	116	512		14			1,267
North Main Street	Mrs. W. R. Davis,305 N. Milford Drive, Salisbury, 28144	2,242	375	90	140	349	16	136	75	50	54	3,527
Oakdale	Miss Frances Easter, 505 N. Yadkin Ave., Spencer, 28159	3,140	600	155	248	1,016	30	1,104	126	67	1,144	7,630
Pine Ridge	Mrs. Bobby Scercy, Route 2, China Grove, 28023	868	434	38	175	205				17		1,737
Providence	Mrs. Jean Medinger, Box 316, East Spencer, 28039		20	15	10	10			7			62
Rockwell	Mrs. Sebe Cauble, Route 1, Box 64, Gold Hill, 28071	600	120	35	36	36	125	100	160	25	25	1,262
Rowan Mills	Mrs. Hayden Miller, Route 2, Box 765-C, Salisbury, 28144		100	44		530		381	300	100		1,455
Salisbury: First	Mrs. S. S. Dibrell, 931 Maple Avenue, Salisbury, 28144	1,100	1,500	250	1,125	2,805	12	473	275	48	350	7,938
Southside	Jack E. Howell, Route 3, Box 497-A, Salisbury, 28144	250	100		438	824	90	100		100	26	1,928
Spencer: First	Mrs. J. C. Scruggs, 198 N. Yadkin Avenue, Spencer, 28159	5,700	675	96	257	634	66	104	107	100		7,739
Stallings Memorial	James C. Elium, Route 5, Box 705, Salisbury, 28144	6,860	1,600	238	515	1,500	33	119	269			11,134
Trading Ford	Elon F. Massey, Route 4, Box 493, Salisbury, 28144	1,860	540	200	767	1,230		100		100	437	5,234
Trinity	Mrs. Pearl Newman, 409 Fifth Street, Spencer, 28159	1,666	376	25	93	224			14			2,398
West Corinth	Miss Bessie M. Carter, Route 3, Box 171, Mooresville, 28115	1,980	490	24	46	275	13	32	31	30	11	2,932
West Park	Mrs. Jacqueline Rogers, Route 2, Rockwell, 28138							25	50			75
Wyatt's Grove	Mrs. Larry Morgan, Route 1, Box 269, Richfield, 28137		10	20	21	32		28	27			138
Yadkin	Tommy Lanning, Box 1100, Salisbury, 28144		286	60		493	101	50	70			1,060
Franklin Mission	Mrs. Terry M. Ennis, Route 1, Box 398, Salisbury, 28144	1,294	104	10	145	250			5	20	20	1,848
Oakland Heights Mission	Mrs. Louise Newsome, Route 4, Box 39, Salisbury, 28144	20	15	12	50	35		10	36			178
TOTALS		62,049	12,547	2,243	7,191	24,477	1,847	7,029	3,647	1,224	4,147	126,401

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TABLE J SPECIAL INFORMATION

CHURCHES	CHURCH LIBRARIANS AND ADDRESSES (Include ZIP Code)	Church Participates in Annuity Board Plan For: Other Staff Member	Pastor	Is Pastor in Social Security Program? Yes	No	Secular Employment? Does Pastor have Full or Part-time Yes	No	No. Ordained for the Ministry	Frequency Council Meets: Other	Quarterly	Monthly	Weekly	Do not have Council	No. Soul-Winning Witnesses Enlisted	Does Church have Regular Visitation? Yes	No	Does Church Have Local Radio and/or T. V. Ministry? Yes	No	If yes, check those which apply to this ministry.	Radio: Church	Time paid by	Sunday Morning Worship	Other time sch.	Once a month	Once a week	Did Church Assist Members Attending Glorietta and/or Ridgecrest? (Monies, Transportation, Etc.) Yes	No
Calvary	Mrs. William Simerson, Route 8, Salisbury, 28144		X	*		**			X						*		**										**
Canaan	None			*		*							X		**		**										
China Grove: First	Mrs. Betty Thompson, Route 2, China Grove, 28023		X	*		**					X				**		**										*
China Grove: South	None		X	*		**							X		**		**										**
Community	None			*		*							X		**		**										**
Cooleemee: First	None		X	*		**							X		*		**										**
Corriher Heights	None			*		*					X				**		**										
Dunn's Mountain	Mrs. Lona Harvell, 230 Morlan Park Rd., Salisbury, 28144		X	**		**				X					*		**										*
East Corinth	None			**		**							X		**		**										**
East Spencer: First	None																										
Eastside	None		X	**		*							X		**		**										**
Emmanuel	Miss Myra Goode, Sunset Drive, Salisbury, 28144		X			**							X		**		**										**
Enon	Mrs. Grover McPherson, Route 6, Salisbury, 28144		X			**					X				**		**										**
Faith	Mrs. B. Lester Huff, Box 84, Faith, 28041			*		**				X					*		**										*
Gold Hill	None			**		**							X		**		**										**
Grace	None		X	*		**							X		**		**										**
Landis	None			*		*		1					X		*		*								X		**
Milford Hills	Mrs. Ellene E. McIntyre, Route 6, Salisbury, 28144		X	*		**				X					*		**										**
Needmore	None		X	**		**							X		**		**										**
North Main Street	None		X	*		**			X						**		**										**
Oakdale	Mrs. Herman Hood, 210 N. Long Street, Salisbury,28144		X	*		**							X		**		**										
Pine Ridge	None		X												**		**										
Providence	None			**		*							X		**		**										**
Rockwell	Mrs. J. G. Puckett, Jr., Route 1, Rockwell, 28138			**		**			X																		
Rowan Mills	None		X	**		**							X		*		**										*
Salisbury: First	Mrs. Ed Poe, 309 Spring Drive, Salisbury, 28144		X	**		**			X						**		**										**
Southside	None																										
Spencer: First	None		X	*		**									**		**										**
Stallings Memorial	Mrs. C. Reuben Hellard, 1931 Rosemont Ave., Salisbury, 28144		X	**		**				X							**										*
Trading Ford	None	X	X	*		*									*		**										*
Trinity	None		X	*		**			X						**		**										**
West Corinth	Miss Bessie M. Carter, Route 3, Box 171, Mooresville, 28115			*		**			X						**		**										**
West Park	None			**		**					X				*		*			X		X		X			**
Wyatt's Grove	None			**		**					X				**		**										**
Yadkin	None					**			X						*		**										
Franklin Mission	Mrs. Margie Shoaf, Route 1, Box 252, Salisbury, 28144			**		**					X			15	*		**										**
Oakland Heights Mission	None			*		*				X																	
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GRAHAM CARLTON, Moderator
JAMES L. McCOY, Clerk

THE HISTORICAL TABLE—ROWAN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Year	Where Held	Preacher	Moderator	Clerk
1927	Salisbury, First	R. N. Huneycutt	C. A. Rhyne	Percy Bloxam
1928	Stallings Memorial	M. W. Gordon	C. A. Rhyne	Percy Bloxam
1929	China Grove, First	J. H. Harris	G. W. Choate	Percy Bloxam
1930	North Main Street	E. L. Bradley	G. W. Choate	R. S. Lennon
1931	Enon	R. O. Brinkley	G. W. Choate	C. W. Crowell
1932	Trading Ford	F. W. Frye	G. W. Choate	C. W. Crowell
1933	North Kannapolis	Arch C. Cree	G. W. Choate	C. W. Crowell
1934	Rockwell	C. A. Rhyne	G. W. Choate	A. L. Jarrell
1935	Oakdale	W. H. James	C. A. Rhyne	A. L. Jarrell
1936	Wyatt's Grove	C. L. Fisher	C. A. Rhyne	A. L. Jarrell
1937	Calvary	D. H. Lowder	C. A. Rhyne	A. L. Jarrell
1938	East Spencer	H. T. Davis	C. A. Rhyne	A. L. Jarrell
1939	Enon	A. L. Campbell	C. A. Rhyne	A. L. Jarrell
1940	West Corinth	L. R. Evans	C. A. Rhyne	A. L. Jarrell
1941	Faith	O. W. Funderburk	R. O. Brinkley	A. L. Jarrell
1942	Salisbury, First	D. L. Woodward	R. O. Brinkley	A. L. Jarrell
1943	Landis	R. W. Harrington	C. A. Rhyne	A. L. Jarrell
1944	North Main Street	Smoot Baker	C. A. Rhyne	A. L. Jarrell
1945	Trading Ford and Salisbury, First	R. A. Ellis	C. A. Rhyne	A. L. Jarrell
1946	Faith and Calvary	E. L. Melton	T. W. Bray	R. A. Ellis
1947	Enon and East Corinth	Clay R. Barnes	R. O. Brinkley	R. A. Ellis
1948	West Corinth and Phaniels	J. C. Hill	R. O. Brinkley	R. A. Ellis
1949	Salisbury, First and Wyatt's Grove	F. P. Blankenship	Clay R. Barnes	R. A. Ellis
1950	Landis and Dunn's Mountain	R. C. Cline	Clay R. Barnes	O. D. Moore
1951	Spencer, First and Salisbury, First and Rockwell	J. C. Gwaltney	N. C. Teague	O. D. Moore
1952	Stallings Memorial and South China Grove	E. H. Potts	N. C. Teague	O. D. Moore
1953	Oakdale and Enon	R. N. Huneycutt	R. O. Brinkley	O. D. Moore
1954	Trading Ford and Grace	O. D. Moore	R. N. Huneycutt	James L. McCoy
1955	Calvary and Phaniels	R. L. Deneen	R. N. Huneycutt	James L. McCoy
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1957	Salisbury, First and Southside	J. A. Richardson	Herman G. Matheny	James L. McCoy
1958	Dunn's Mountain and Rowan Mills	J. H. Simpson	Herman G. Matheny	James L. McCoy
1959	Salisbury, First and Faith	Clyde D. Chapman	Herman G. Matheny	James L. McCoy
1960	Stallings Memorial and Enon	W. J. Stephenson	John H. Simpson	James L. McCoy
1961	Trading Ford and East Spencer	B. Lester Huff	John H. Simpson	James L. McCoy
1962	Spencer, First and Milford Hills	H. M. Hocutt	Clyde D. Chapman	James L. McCoy
1963	Salisbury, First and Rockwell	M. P. Boggs	Clyde D. Chapman	James L. McCoy
1964	Trading Ford and Rowan Mills	Hayden M. Cartner	H. M. Hocutt	James L. McCoy
1965	Dunn's Mountain and West Corinth	Marvin W. Dameron	H. M. Hocutt	James L. McCoy
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CONSTITUTION

Adopted October 25, 1961

CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS

I. NAME

This body shall be known as the Rowan Baptist Association.

II. OBJECT

The object of this Association shall be to devise and promote measures for increasing the harmony and spiritual power of the churches within our bounds, to recommend plans for advancing the work of our Lord throughout the earth, and to cooperate with our Baptist State Convention and our Southern Baptist Convention in spiritual advance in such areas as Sunday School, Training Union, Woman's Missionary Union, Men's Brotherhood and Church Music with the understanding that cooperation with the state and Southern Conventions is purely voluntary.

III. MEMBERSHIP

This body shall be composed of the ordained Baptist Ministers who are pastors of cooperating churches, our Associational Missionary, and messengers chosen and certified by the churches. Each church shall be entitled to two messengers for the first fifty members or any part thereof, and one messenger for each fifty above that number, provided no church shall be entitled to more than ten messengers. It shall be the duty of the churches to correspond annually with the Association by letter and messengers, and give in not only their statistical information but also facts concerning the general welfare and to send contributions to pay the expenses of the Association. The Clerk shall furnish the churches with two printed forms for their annual report, these to be mailed at least six weeks before the annual session of the Association, and the churches are requested to have the letters in the hands of the Clerk not less than two weeks before the meeting of the Association.

IV. OFFICERS

The officers of the Association shall be Moderator, Associate Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Historian, Sunday School Superintendent, Training Union Director, Brotherhood President, W. M. U. President, and Music Director. These shall be elected annually for a term of one year with the understanding that the Moderator will automatically retire after having served two complete terms. The

term of office shall begin at the conclusion of the annual meeting of the Association and continue until the close of the next session or until their successors are elected.

V. TRUSTEES

In addition to the above named officers, the Association shall elect three trustees each year who shall hold in trust all property and effects of the Association, take care of and keep the same in repair, accept gifts for the Association and perform all other duties which the Association may declare, according to the laws of the State of North Carolina.

VI. MEETINGS

The Association will meet annually on the Tuesday and Wednesday after the fourth Sunday in October, and can be called into extra session if necessary by a majority vote of the Executive-Promotion Committee. All such sessions shall be conducted as prescribed in Kerfoot's "Parlimentary Law".

VII. POWERS AND PREROGATIVES

The Association shall have no power whatever to infringe upon the rights or usefulness of the churches. It may advise or recommend measures of usefulness for their adoption and guidance, but cannot bind them in any way. The churches constituting the Association shall each retain complete autonomy under Christ as supreme Head, Lawgiver, Governor and Lord over His churches, and unite only that they may more successfully promote the cause of Christ throughout the world. In any case any conflict of interpretation shall arise as between this section and any other section of this constitution the interpretation of this section shall have precedence over the other.

VIII. COOPERATING CHURCHES

Any group of baptized believers in Christ, organized into a church, earnestly seeking to cooperate with our Baptist work in the Rowan Association, The Baptist State Convention, and the Southern Baptist Convention, having been received into the fellowship of this association shall be considered a cooperating church.

IX. COMMITTEES

1. **Executive-Promotion Committee.** The Executive-Promotion Committee shall be composed of the duly elected officers of the

Association, the Pastors of all the churches within the Association and one Representative from each cooperating church. The duties of this committee shall be to carry out the policies and will of the Association in the interim between its annual sessions. The Committee shall not take any action contrary to the will of the Association or which would initiate any new policies of procedures. In an adequate emergency this committee may take such action as may be deemed necessary to conditions arising after the annual meeting of the Association. This committee shall meet quarterly, the time and place to be decided upon by the committee. The Moderator shall serve as chairman of this committee. This committee shall make a full report of its activities to the Association at its annual session.

2. **Other Committees.** The Association may constitute, instruct and discharge committees that may be necessary for the proper conduct of its affairs and promotion of its activities. These committees and a copy of their instructions shall be made a part of the minutes of the association each year.

X. AMENDMENTS

Any section of this constitution may be amended at any regular session of the Association by a two-thirds vote of the messengers present, provided the amendment is presented to the Association on the first day and voted on and passed on favorably the second day, or that notice shall be given during the meeting in one year and voted upon favorably the following year.

BY-LAWS

1. The Moderator shall be in complete charge of all meetings of the Association or the Executive-Promotion Committee.

2. In the conduct of business Kerfoot's "Parliamentary Law" shall be followed.

3. These By-Laws may be amended at any time by majority vote of the Association.

By-Laws

COMMITTEES OF THE ASSOCIATION

1. **Associational Missions Committee.** This committee shall consist of seven members. Its duties shall be to assist our Associational Missionary in every way possible, to seek out places where Baptist work is needed, and to work with our Associational Missionary or a sponsoring church in establishing such work. The chairman of this committee shall make a report at the annual meeting of our Association on the work of our Missionary for the preceding twelve months period. In the event that the Association should find itself without a Missionary, this committee shall, with the assistance of the Executive-Promotion Committee, endeavor to locate a suitable person for the office. When it seems that such person has been found the committee shall bring its report to the Executive-Promotion Committee for its approval or rejection.

2. **Committee on Reception of New Churches.** A committee of 3 members, elected by the Association shall receive and study petitions from churches desiring fellowship in this association and make recommendations to the association regarding the disposition of such petitions. These petitions should be presented to the committee at least two weeks prior to the annual meeting of the association.

3. **Finance Committee.** This committee shall keep itself informed concerning the financial needs of the Association. It shall see to it that all expenditures are kept within the budget, and supervise all financial matters. Along with its annual report to the Association it shall bring a proposed budget based upon the needs of the associational program, and the ability of the churches to support this program. This proposed budget shall be presented to the Executive-Promotion Committee at the July meeting for adoption and distributed to the churches immediately thereafter.

4. **Audio-Visual Aids Committee.** The Associational Missionary, together with four other members, shall constitute this committee, with the Missionary serving as chairman. This committee shall have charge of all visual aid equipment of the Association and keep same in good repair. It shall recommend to the Executive-Promotion Committee additional purchases of this equipment when such is to the best interest of the Association, and if the cost of such purchase is above the amount set aside in the budget for this purpose. The equipment shall be made available for use by the churches in the promotion of the entire Associational program. When this equipment is borrowed and put to use by any church or organization of the association it is to be returned promptly to the office of the Missionary. Those who use this equipment shall be requested to handle same with care and to be responsible for any damage other than normal wear.

5. **Program Committee.** This committee shall be composed of the Moderator and four members at large to be appointed by the Moderator. The duties of the committee shall be to plan the programs of the annual Association.

6. **Committee on Committees.** This committee shall be appointed by the Moderator to serve for a period of one year and shall be composed of five members whose duties shall be to recommend the appointment of the standing committees and to name any other committees called for by the Association, such as, Associational Missions, Associational Membership, Obituary Committee, Committee on Public Morals and Civic Righteousness, Finance Committee, Radio and Television Committee, Committee on Time, Place and Preacher, Committee on Resolutions, Nominating Committee, Music Committee, and the representatives of the various boards and institutions supported by the North Carolina Baptist Convention.

7. **Obituary Committee.** The Obituary Committee shall conduct a brief service at the annual meeting of our Association in memory of those members from the various churches who have been called to their heavenly home.

8. **Committee on Public Morals and Civic Righteousness.** The duties of this committee shall be to inform themselves as to the moral conditions and practices in our midst, to study these conditions, to use their influence to promote high ethical standards of life and conduct on the part of our people, and to give a report of their work at the annual meeting of the Association.

9. **Radio and Television Committee.** It shall be the duty of this Committee to give encouragement to the local radio and television stations in the use they are now making of their facilities in broadcasting morning devotions, the broadcast and telecast of the programs of the Radio-Television Commission of Southern Baptists, and other desirable programs of a religious nature. This committee shall further seek to enlist the cooperation of these stations when special efforts are underway on an Associational-wide basis to the end that our Baptist work might be duly publicized and brought to the attention of the people of our country. A report of this committee's work shall be given at the annual Associational meeting.

10. **Committee on Time, Place, and Preacher.** This committee shall recommend the meeting place for our annual Association, state the time, and recommend a minister and an alternate for the annual sermon. This shall be reported to the Association in annual session.

11. **Committee on Resolutions.** It shall be the duty of this committee to draw up suitable resolutions relating to the hospitality of the host church or churches, the service rendered by the

visiting speakers, the work of the Associational Officers, and other pertinent matters that should be included in this committee's report.

12. **The Nominating Committee.** It shall be the duty of this committee to recommend to the Annual Session of the Association prospective officers for the coming year as provided for under Section IV of the Constitution, including Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Associate Clerk and Statistician, Treasurer, Chorister, and Pianist. The heads of organizations (Sunday School, Brotherhood, Training Union, Music, and Woman's Missionary Union) shall be recommended for election at the April meeting of the Executive-Promotion Committee. Other organizational leadership shall be nominated in cooperation with the organizational heads and recommended, for election, to the July meeting of the Executive-Promotion Committee. W.M.U. Officers will be suggested to the Nominating Committee in keeping with the W.M.U. By-Laws.

13. **Music Committee.** This committee shall offer suggestions and guidance in the selection of the type of music that is desirable in worship and in our varied Associational and church activities. It shall plan, at such times as seem opportune, for a week of instruction in church music, and also seek as it has opportunity, to encourage all of our people to manifest a greater interest in this vital phase of our Lord's work.

14. **Camp Development Committee.** This committee shall have general supervision of the Associational camp which is located in the eastern part of Rowan County. It shall inform our people about the scheduled activities and opportunities offered at the camp and also of the rules and regulations that are to govern its use. The above committee shall promote the use of this camp to the end that it may serve a high and worthwhile purpose as a center for Christian activities by all departments of the Associational program. Only such activities as tend toward the development of Christian character shall be encouraged by the committee.

15. **Historical Committee.** This committee shall be composed of three members elected by the Association. The duties of this committee shall be to adequately preserve the records of the activity within the Association that may be of interest to further generations.

16. **Evangelism Committee.** This committee shall be composed of five members elected by the Association and shall head the Association in a program of New Testament Evangelism in cooperation with the North Carolina Baptist Convention's Department of Evangelism.

17. **Committee to Study the Constitution and By-Laws.** A committee of three members, elected by the Association shall study the Constitution and By-Laws and make recommendations for changes as needed.

18. All of our Churches in the Association are requested to assist the host church(s) in entertaining the Association for the Annual Session.

19. The Moderator and the Associational Missionary be ex officio members of all committees and be notified of all meetings held by each committee.

Proceedings

RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS
OF THE
FORTY-FIRST ANNUAL SESSION
OF THE
ROWAN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

THEME:

"A Fulfilling Church"

SCRIPTURE — ISAIAH 6:8-9

TUESDAY

EVENING SESSION

1. The Forty-first Annual Session of the Rowan Baptist Association opened at the First Baptist Church, China Grove, at 7:30 P.M. Graham Carlton, Moderator, presiding. Elmer Phipps, Associational Song Leader, led in a group sing with Mrs. J. Earle Blalock at the piano. Victor Cole, Pastor of the First Baptist Church, Salisbury, led the worship period using portions of scripture from John 4 and Matthew 9.

2. James L. McCoy, Associational Clerk, moved that the Messengers now registered, in addition to those who may register, constitute the enrollment of Messengers of the Rowan Baptist Association; and that the program as now printed, with any necessary changes, constitute the order of business. This motion carried. The Moderator extended words of welcome and called for all visitors to stand. Attention was called to the mimeographed reports placed in the hands of the Messengers. John E. Carter, Rowan Associational Missionary, was recognized and extended the right hand of christian welcome to the new pastors of the Rowan Association.

3. Charles Summers, Associational Treasurer, was recognized and gave the Treasurer's report. (Note: this report included elsewhere in annual minutes)

4. Graham Carlton, Moderator of Rowan Association, gave a verbal report on the Associational Parsonage.

5. Kenneth Payne, Pastor of Oakland Heights Mission, was recognized and made a report of the work at the Mission with a plea to the Association for workers to assist in this field.

6. Charles Bolden, member of the committee on reception of new churches, was recognized and brought a recommendation from this committee that the recently constituted Franklin Baptist Church (formerly Franklin Baptist Mission) be received into full fellowship with the Rowan Baptist Association. Motion carried for acceptance. (Note: this report included elsewhere in annual minutes) Victor Cole, Pastor, First Baptist Church, Salisbury, announced that the Campbell College Choir would render a presentation at the First Baptist Church, Salisbury, November 3 at 7 P.M.

7. This section of the program emphasized the role of organizations in the fulfilling church at which time reports from the various organizations of the Association were received. Charles Collins, Director of the Men's Organization, Mrs. J. C. Scruggs, W. M. U. Director, Mrs. J. Earle Blalock, Music Director, LeRoy Cooper, Sunday School Director, and Jack Pickett for the Director of Training Union, all made reports for their respective organizations. Elmer Phipps led the group in singing "Stand Up For Jesus." There were 141 Messengers and 101 Visitors present at this time for a total of 242.

8. W. Perry Crouch, Executive Secretary-Treasurer of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina was presented and brought a message on "Our State Convention Undergirding the Fulfilling Church." The Mills Home Touring Choir, Baptist Children's Home, Thomasville, N. C., rendered beautifully a selection of songs climaxed by "Christ The Only Hope", and led by Kenneth Little, Director, Mills Home Choir.

9. Ronald W. McSwain, Chairman of the Program Committee, was recognized and presented W. D. Lawes, Home Mission Board, Southern Baptist Convention, Division of Evangelism, Associate Director, Atlanta, Georgia, who spoke on "Christ, The Only Hope", emphasizing the objectives of the Crusade of the Americas. The speaker challenged the group with the fact that we must become involved and seek out people where they are, if we are to win them to Christ. Dismissal prayer was offered by Hayden Cartner, Pastor of the Stallings Memorial Baptist Church, Salisbury, and the evening session was adjourned to reconvene Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock with the North Main Baptist Church, Salisbury.

WEDNESDAY MORNING

NORTH MAIN BAPTIST CHURCH
14th Street, Salisbury
9 A. M.

10. Graham Carlton, Moderator, called the session to order and extended words of welcome. Elmer Phipps, Associational Song Leader, led the group in singing "Love Lifted Me", with Mrs. J. Earle Blalock at the piano. Dolph Robinson, Pastor of the Landis Baptist Church, Landis, N. C., led the worship period using Deuteronomy, chapter 6, and offered prayer.

11. James L. McCoy, Associational Clerk, was recognized and gave a report of the Executive-Promotion Committee and the Digest of Church Letters. (Note: this report appears elsewhere in the annual minutes)

12. Ronald W. McSwain, Pastor of the Dunn's Mountain Baptist Church, Salisbury, was recognized and gave a report of the Place and Preacher Committee. (Note: report appears elsewhere in the annual minutes) This report approved by the group.

13. Clyde D. Chapman, Pastor of the First Baptist Church, Spencer, N. C., and Chairman of the Nominating Committee, brought a report from this committee. Motion carried for adoption of report as read. At this point a motion carried for adoption of the Executive-Promotion Committee report previously read by the Clerk.

14. James L. McCoy, Clerk, was recognized and gave the report of the Resolutions Committee for Mrs. C. V. Talbert, acting chairman of the committee. The report was approved. (Note: report appears elsewhere in annual minutes) The group sang "We're Marching To Zion", led by Elmer Phipps. Ralph C. Hammett, host pastor, extended words of welcome and gave instructions regarding the facilities of the buildings.

15. H. M. Hocutt, Pastor of the Oakdale Baptist Church, Spencer, N. C., was recognized and posed the question of program outline for the next annual session. John Carter, Associational Missionary, asked for a show of hands as to the feeling of those present regarding the program outline as it was approved for this year. The sentiment was for a night session Tuesday and a day session Wednesday. W. K. McGee, Director of Denominational Relations, Baptist Hospital, Winston-Salem, N. C., was recognized and gave words of appreciation for the support of Rowan Baptists given the Baptist Hospital, and urged continued support through the Mother's day Offering.

16. Sam Mayfield, Chairman of the Committee on Committees, gave a report of this Committee, and motion carried for adoption. (Note: report appears elsewhere in the annual minutes)

17. Mrs. Ed Poe, Librarian, First Baptist Church, Salisbury, brought a report on the library ministry in the local church. The report was accepted. (Note: report appears elsewhere in the annual minutes)

18. John Carter, Associational Missionary, presented a film entitled "What Is The Church." This film illustrated involvement of church members, in christian service. The Moderator made remarks regarding Bible teaching in the public schools, giving information as to the type of course and procedures.

19. Ronald W. McSwain, Chairman of the Program Committee, was recognized and presented Charles Tucker, Bible Department, Meredith College, who spoke on "The Church Involved in the Baptist Schools." The speaker explained that Christian Education is an extension of the Church's concern.

20. Mrs. Truesdale, resident of Hayes Home, Winston-Salem, N. C., was recognized and brought information on the work at the home and expressed appreciation for this care made possible by Baptists.

21. W. K. McGee, Director of Denominational Relations, Baptist Hospital, Winston-Salem, N. C., was recognized and remarked on the new policy of the Baptist Hospital, stating that service cost had an accumulated deficit since 1965. Free work now provided by the hospital will be determined largely by the Mother's Day Offering. Patients for free service will be certified by Welfare Departments and like agencies. Prayers and financial aid of the people was requested.

22. Mrs. Ronald McSwain, member of the Dunn's Mt. Baptist Church, Route 10, Salisbury, was recognized and brought a report on Baptist Children's Homes. Mrs. McSwain recognized Vernon Sparrow of Mills Home, Thomasville, N. C. The group sang enthusiastically "To God Be The Glory." Ralph C. Hammett, host pastor, gave instructions regarding the noon meal. There were 185 Messengers, 123 Visitors registered at this time for a total of 308. (Note: Children's Home report appears elsewhere in the annual minutes)

23. The Moderator recognized Clyde D. Chapman, Pastor of the First Baptist Church, Spencer, N. C., who read the annual sermon scripture as found in Phillipians 2:5-12 and offered prayer. J. D. Whisnant, Pastor of the Calvary Baptist Church, Ellis Cross

Roads, Salisbury, N. C., brought the annual sermon centered around our Baptist Principles. The speaker's message set forth six basic beliefs of Baptists: 1. Baptists believe in the absolute Lordship of Jesus Christ, 2. The supremacy of the Bible; 3. Regeneration is the only basis for church membership; 4. The right of private interpretation of the Word of God; 5. Separation of Church and State; 6. Immersion is the only scriptural baptism. Prayer was offered and the meeting adjourned for the noon meal.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON SESSION
1:15 P.M.

24. The afternoon session was called to order by Graham Carlton, Moderator. Elmer Phipps, Song Leader, led the group in singing "Make Me A Channel Of Blessing" with Mrs. James L. McCoy, Associate Clerk, at the piano. Joe Richards, Pastor of the Emmanuel Baptist Church, Salisbury, N. C., led the worship period, using responsive reading from the Baptist Hymnal and offering prayer.

25. Mrs. Hayden M. Cartner, Chairman of the Obituary Committee, conducted the "In Memorium" period reading from 1st Thessalonians 4:14. Hayden Cartner read the names of the deceased ones as the group stood in tribute with bowed heads. Mrs. J. M. Gupton of the Stallings Memorial Baptist Church, offered prayer. (Note: a roll of our beloved dead appears elsewhere in the annual minutes)

26. The Moderator recognized John Holland, Pastor of the Milford Hills Baptist Church, Salisbury, N. C., who presented Terry Agner, Pastor of St. Mark's Lutheran Church, China Grove, N. C., and President of the Rowan Cooperative Christian Ministry, Salisbury, N. C., who brought information regarding the functions of R.C.C.M., its purpose, membership and organization. It was pointed out that R.C.C.M. is one way for the church to become involved in meeting needs of those around us. Luther Bullard, Pastor of the Enon Baptist Church, Route 6, Salisbury, N. C., commented favorably on the Enon Church's association with R.C.C.M.

27. This section of the program was devoted to "The Fulfilling Church Views Interracial Cooperation." The Moderator presented Corbin L. Cooper, Secretary of the Department of Interracial Cooperation, Baptist State Convention of North Carolina, Raleigh, N. C., who spoke on the above theme. It was pointed out that love for God and fellowman is a pre-requisite for Christian service. Every Baptist Church needs to examine itself in relation

to its attitude toward other races—are we prepared to minister to all people? James L. McCoy, Clerk, presented his son, Jimmy, student, and member of Dunn's Mt. Baptist Church, who gave his personal testimony of his experience in a Mission Vacation Bible School conducted in one of the Colored churches in the County during the past summer. Jimmy has dedicated himself to full-time Christian service.

28. Edwin Koontz, Juvenile Officer of the Public Welfare Office, Salisbury, N. C., was presented by the Moderator, and spoke on "The Fulfilling Church Views Delinquency And Rehabilitation." The speaker stated the objective of his work was to help the delinquent person find himself and to find a purpose in life.

29. Special music was rendered at this time by Elmer Phipps, Song Leader, "So Send I You." John Carter, Rowan Associational Missionary, made announcement of the coming film "The Bill Wallace Story" to be at the Capitol Theatre, Salisbury, N. C., on December 4.

30. Bob Nash, Foreign Missionary to the Philippines, and former Pastor in the Rowan Baptist Association, was presented by the Moderator. The missionary brought greetings from the 100 missionaries and some 10,000 converts won over the past ten years in the Philippines. The speaker used the scripture from Matthew 28:16-20 and Acts 1:8. It was stated that the Cooperative Program money was used to train those that are called of the Lord, for hospital ministry, seminary, work near military bases (Clark Field Air Base has a Sunday School attendance of approximately 500), and establishing new missions and preaching points. The missionary pointed out the great need for the Gospel in this field of service. The Forty-First Annual Session of the Rowan Baptist Association closed with prayer by H. M. Hocutt, Pastor of the Oakdale Baptist Church, Spencer, N. C. There were 185 Messengers and 125 Visitors registered at this time for a total of 310.

40th ANNUAL MEETING OF ROWAN BAPTIST W. M. U. ASSOCIATION

"By Love Impelled" was the theme for the Annual Meeting of the Rowan Baptist Woman's Missionary Union on April 4, 1968 at the North Main Baptist Church. Mrs. J. C. Scruggs, President, called the meeting to order and Mrs. Frank Leach, Associational Chorister, led in the opening hymn "I Love To Tell The Story". Mrs. R. B. Motley presented the call to prayer emphaszing the need of prayer for the Crusade of the Americas, praying for this and the missionaries on the Prayer Calendar.

Mrs. Scruggs expressed appreciation to the North Main Church for the use of their facilities for our annual meeting. Visitors and pastors present were recognized by the President.

The treasurer's report was given, reporting a balance on hand of $854.99. This report was accepted as read. Due to the new procedure for W. M. U. work, the Secretary read the changes of terminology that would be necessary to make in the Constitution of the Rowan Woman's Missionary Union. There was a motion and second that these changes be made. The budget for 1968-69 was adopted as read with a unanimous vote.

The following slate of officers was presented by Mrs. Clyde Raper to serve beginning October 1, 1968:

Director .....Mrs. J. C. Scruggs
198 N. Yadkin Ave., Spencer, N. C. 28159

Assistant Director .....Mrs. John Carter
Route 3, Box 45, Salisbury, N. C. 28144

W. M. S. Director .....Mrs. R. R. Hunter
Rt. 2, China Grove, N. C. 28023

Secretary-Treasurer .....Mrs. Herman Hood
210 N. Long St., Salisbury, N. C. 28144

Y. W. A. Director .....Miss Frances Easter
505 N. Yadkin Ave., Spencer, N. C. 28159

G. A. Director .....Mrs. Charles Hellard
2010 Rosemont St., Salisbury, N. C. 28144

Sunbeam Director .....Mrs. Wayne Harrelson
Route 10, Box 571, Salisbury, N. C. 28144

Prayer Director .....Mrs. H. M. Hocutt
113 Charles St., Spencer, N. C. 28159

Stewardship Director .....Mrs. Rembert Gunter
Granite Quarry, N. C. 28072

Mission Action Director .....Mrs. J. D. Whisnant
Rt. 8, Salisbury, N. C. 28144

Mission Study Director .....Mrs. Clyde Bias, Jr.
Hall St., East Spencer, N. C. 28039

Literature Chairman .....Mrs. A. L. Rogers
312 W. Monroe St., Salisbury, N. C. 28144

Chorister .....Mrs. Frank Leach
628 W. Council St., Salisbury, N. C. 28144

Pianist .....Mrs. David Barker
404 Oakwood Dr., Spencer, N. C. 28159

Nominating Committee .....Mrs. Bill Wilhelm, Chm.
Faith, N. C. 28041
Mrs. Eddie M. Ritchie
Rt. 2, China Grove, N. C. 28023
Mrs. Grady Queen
Rt. 4, Box 464, Salisbury, N. C. 28144

Respectfully submitted:
Mrs. Clyde Raper
Mrs. Banks Mullis
Mrs. B. H. Peeler

Mrs. J. Frank Gilreath, Jr., Missions Activities Director of the North Carolina W. M. U., was introduced and she spoke on "The New Look in W. M. U." She reminded those present of changes taking place in our world today and yet the purpose of Woman's Missionary Union and training our young people in missions has not changed. Two words could be used in describing the new plan of work in W. M. U.—simplicity and flexibility. Each W. M. U. will need to organize to meet needs in own local church. A brief question and answer period followed.

Young People's Leaders and Committee Chairmen presented their reports in a "Parade of Posters" with the following taking part: Mrs. Carl Kincaid, Mrs. Charles Hellard, Mrs. Luther Bullard, Mrs. A. L. Rogers, Mrs. Clyde Bias, Mrs. R. B. Motley, Mrs. J. M. Gupton and Mrs. J. D. Whisnant.

After the singing of the hymn "In Christ There Is No East or West" and a solo, "The Love of God" sung by Mr. Elmer Phipps. Dr. E. Warren Woolf, Secretary of Special Mission Ministries of the Southern Baptist Home Mission Board was recognized and he brought the closing message. Dr. Woolf told about the Summer Student Ministry and the Christian Service Core which are so meaningful in the work of Home Missions.

Rev. John Carter, Associational Missionary, pronounced the benediction.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Herman Hood
Secretary-Treasurer

REPORTS

FINANCIAL

October 1, 1967 — September 30, 1968

General Fund

RECEIPTS:

Calvary	$ 400.00
Canaan	120.00
China Grove, First	547.85
China Grove, South	215.04
Community	171.50
Cooleemee, First	672.10
Corriher Heights	50.00
Dunn's Mountain	500.00
East Corinth	82.00
East Spencer, First	110.00
Eastside	84.00
Emmanuel	416.78
Enon	433.29
Faith	540.00
Gold Hill	5.00
Grace	10.00
Landis	480.00
Milford Hills	200.00
Needmore	198.40
North Main	375.00
Oakdale	600.00
Pine Ridge	499.50
Providence	20.00
Rockwell	120.00
Rowan Mills	91.74
Salisbury, First	1,500.00
Southside	100.00
Spencer, First	618.75
Stallings Memorial	1,500.00
Trading Ford	550.00
Trinity	305.00
West Corinth	548.69
West Park	5.00
Wyatts Grove	10.00
Yadkin	392.50
Franklin	104.00
Oakland Heights	119.37
State Convention	700.00
Missionary Supply	70.00
Parsonage Special	27.00
Refund	15.50
Taxes on Cross Prop.	64.33
Over Payment, Ins.	7.30
	$13,579.64

DISBURSEMENTS & SUMMARY:

Balance October 1, 1967		$1,459.07
Receipts (Itemized at left)		$13,508.01
Grand Total		$14,967.08
Pail Out:		
Missionary Salary	$ 4,940.00	
Car Allowance	999.96	
Utilities	679.64	
Retirement	400.08	
Rent	750.00	
Telephone	178.73	
Gift (Christmas)	100.00	
BSU, Catawba College	100.00	
Brotherhood	61.40	
Sunday School	89.48	
Training Union	35.30	
Office Expense	258.72	
Visual Aids	62.40	
Projectors	210.00	
Convention Expense	300.00	
Printing Minutes Prog.	865.40	
Parsonage Fund	1,777.00	
Postage	180.00	
Evangelistic Clinic	96.83	
Treasurer's Fee	125.00	
Clerk's Fee	200.00	
Asso. Clerk's Fee	150.00	
Transferred to Parsonage Fund	1,000.00	
Annual Meeting	20.00	
Total		$13,579.94
Balance Sept. 30, 1968		$1,387.14
Parsonage Account:		
Balance: July 1, 1968		$19,537.85
Receipts:		
Tax from Cross Property	$ 64.33	
Over-payment Insurance	7.30	
Transfer from General	1,000.00	
		1,071.63
		$20,609.48
Disbursements:		
Down Payment	$16,000.00	
Closing Costs	336.30	
Moving Missionary	136.00	
Repairs	116.03	
		$16,588.33
Balance: Sept. 30, 1968		$ 4,021.15

Respectfully Submitted: Charles E. Summers, Treasurer

ROWAN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION BUDGET

1968-1969

Item:	'67-'68	'68-'69
PERSONAL		
Missionary Salary	4,940.00	5,200.00
Utilities	680.00	680.00
Car Allowance	1,000.00	1,000.00
Retirement	400.00	400.00
Denominational Meetings	300.00	300.00
Clerk	200.00	200.00
Assistant Clerk	150.00	150.00
Treasurer	125.00	125.00
	7,795.00	8,055.00
OFFICE SUPPLIES AND PRINTING		
Telephone	150.00	250.00
House Rent	900.00	———
Minutes - Calendars - Programs	1,000.00	1,000.00
Office Supplies	350.00	350.00
Postage	250.00	250.00
	2,650.00	1,850.00
ORGANIZATIONAL PROMOTION		
Baptist Student Union, Catawba College	200.00	150.00
Sunday School	125.00	150.00
Training Union	125.00	125.00
Brotherhood	125.00	125.00
Visual Aids	50.00	300.00
Long Range Program	400.00	400.00
	1,025.00	1,250.00
MISCELLANEOUS		
Motion Picture Projector	400.00	———
Incidentals	120.00	120.00
Christmas Gift for Missionary	100.00	100.00
	620.00	220.00
ASSOCIATIONAL PARSONAGE FUND		
Parsonage	1,800.00	
Insurance and Maintenance		1,000.00
On Loan		3,000.00
	1,800.00	4,000.00
GRAND TOTAL OF BUDGET	13,890.00	15,375.00

Suggested Monthly Goals Based on Membership:*

(1) Under 100 Members .....10 per member per month
100-499 Members .....12 per member per month
500-999 Members .....14 per member per month
1,000 and above members .....16 per member per month
*Some churches prefer to give a percentage of regular offerings; therefore, the following suggested goal percentage wise.

(2) At least 2% of regular offerings for all churches regardless of size.

It is further recommended that we request aid from State Missions in the amount of $840.00. That we carry over of The Long Range Program Fund into the new year for the Sunday School Enlargement; That Receipts over and above the budget be placed in the Camp Development fund.

A RECOMMENDATION OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE RECEPTION OF NEW CHURCHES REGARDING THE FRANKLIN BAPTIST CHURCH, LOCATED ON HIGHWAY 601, NORTH, ROUTE 1, SALISBURY, NORTH CAROLINA, THIS 29TH DAY OF OCTOBER 1968:

Having watched with vital interest the progress of the Franklin Baptist Mission from its inception;

And, having reviewed the Constitution and By-Laws which were adopted by the membership on June 9, 1968;

And having, through personal knowledge and contact with the membership, satisfied ourselves that this church is well founded in its stated purpose of promoting the worship of God, and teaching and preaching the gospel of our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ;

And the letters of all members of the Franklin Baptist Mission having been transferred by the parent church, Calvary Baptist Church, to the Franklin Baptist Church on Sunday, October 27, 1968;

And, they having expressed their desire to cooperate with and participate in the activities of the Rowan Baptist Association, The Baptist State Convention of North Carolina, and The Southern Baptist Convention;

We, therefore, recommend to this 1968 annual meeting of the Rowan Baptist Association that the Franklin Baptist Church be received into full fellowship with the Rowan Baptist Association. (A copy of the Constitution and By-Laws of Franklin Baptist Church attached hereto.)

Respectfully submitted,
COMMITTEE ON RECEPTION OF NEW CHURCHES
Charles R. Bolden
Horace Moree

BROTHERHOOD REPORT

The emphasis for the year has been on missionary training and promotion that involves men in the mission task of the church. The goals for the coming year are designed to continue this emphasis.

The Brotherhood will promote cooperative study and coordination of mission study books and mission offerings with the WMU.

The Brotherhood will provide leadership and information in assisting in the organization of new Baptist Men's Units, (10) in the Association.

The Associational Brotherhood in addition to the usual activities will help in planning and promoting a witnessing campaign in late winter and promoting the Crusade of the Americas in April.

The major emphasis will be assisting the churches individually to perfect their men's organizations and to more effectively educate men, young men and boys in missions and to involve them in mission activities.

Respectfully submitted,
Charles Collins

REPORT OF WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

As we close the door on another year in Woman's Missionary Union and reflect on our activities we believe that it has been a good year in many respects. We have sought to help the church fulfill it's mission through a program of Mission Study, Prayer, Stewardship, and Mission Action.

As we discuss missionary programs, read missionary books and other missionary periodicals we become aware of the needs of the world and of our responsibility and great privilege of helping to meet these needs.

Being aware of the needs we are compelled to pray for the leadership of the Holy Spirit as we seek to help meet needs. And not only to pray for ourselves but to pray for our missionaries and all who labor in Kingdom work.

Through stewardship of possessions we seek to lead our members to bring all of the tithe into the local church a part of which goes from all of our churches, we hope, through the Cooperative Program to help carry the gospel into all the world. And then we hope that all of our Special offerings to the Lottie Moon Offering, Annie Armstrong Offering, etc. are really "offerings", something over and above the tithe.

It is the duty of the Christian both to BE and to DO. Through

Mission action we can fulfill both these requirements as we seek to be missionaries in our own communities by meeting needs around us. Now we look forward with great anticipation to the new year, realizing that our new organizational structure is putting more emphasis on personal involvement as we seek to be "Laborers together with God."

Mrs. J. C. Scruggs
WMU Director

ASSOCIATIONAL MUSIC

"Praise Him, Praise Him, Jesus, Our Blessed Redeemer!"

Our Association plans annually for a V. A. Carol-Sing, a Hymn-Sing on "M" Night and a School of Music to which all are invited. Our School of Music this year will be held at Salisbury, First Church under the direction of Mr. Charles Gatwood of Raleigh assisted by three other State Approved Workers. The date is January 13-15, classes for all age groups are planned and everyone, especially choir members are urged to attend.

Our Convention urges an early beginnnig of music training and provides literature that has no equal — from the small beginner to the Adult. The Council recommends the use of the Hymn -of-the Month and untried hymns to be learned from our wealth of untried hymns of heart-warming, soul-stirring beauty found in our Baptist Hymnal. The national and patriotic hymns should be used on appropriate occassions.

The Youth Choirs of Salisbury, First Church and the youth group of a Winston-Salem Church are joining together for a presentation of **Good News.** The Work will be presented at both churches in early December.

The music of our churches should be warmly evangelistic in message and presentation. Our music **must** enhance the blessed Word of God for our pastors that together they may be a blessing to those in the pew. All choirs should add to their number and effectiveness in this crucial year.

Music and giving are acts of participation for our people. Pastor, music and people comprise the magic circle of worship that is both meaningful and rewarding. You can help us in our Associational Music Ministry by reporting your music activities in the letters to the annual Association. We urge you to enlarge the present and begin new ministries— especially for children. Elect assistant organists and pianists. Seek out those with musical ability and help them to dedicate their talents to God who gave it.

The Associational Music Council is composed of the general

chairman, secretary, and seven zone chairmen each seeking to stay in touch with the churches in this area. It will be our pleasure if we can be helpful to your church, so please call on us.

As we work together may we magnify and glorify our Heavenly Father for our Christ is the Answer— and— our only hope!

Respectfully submitted,
Georgia Blalock

SUNDAY SCHOOL

The Sunday School would like to thank Mesdames Kenneth Payne, B. Lester Huff, H. H. Hair, John E. Carter, Ronald McSwain and Mildred Morrow and Reverends W. E. Haltom and H. M. Hocutt for their loyal support during this past church year.

Our Associational Sunday School planned and held six Sunday School meetings during the past year as follows: (1) Annual Planning Meeting, (2) Action Night, (3) General Promotion Meeting, (4) A Sunday School Visitation Program Meeting, (5) A One-Day V. B. S. Clinic, and (6) A Night V. B. S. Clinic.

Another major effort was the advanced planning and preparation for the Associational-Wide Director-Led Sunday School Enlargement Campaign for October 19-24, 1968. Seventeen churches voted to participate but two of these found it necessary to cancel out. All participating churches made church community surveys beginning in July as part of the preparation.

Respectfully submitted,
Herman Blakeman
Associational Superintendent

TRAINING UNION

I. The Training Union's name will be changed January, 1969; however, it will take more than a name change to put Training Union in the role it ought to have in the Church. Perhaps the first step is to regain the dynamics of Christian Training in depth, the kind of training that better equips church members to win their lost neighbors to Christ. In order to do this, it may be necessary to revive most church members and get them dedicated to the proposition that "Ye are the salt of the earth."

Where Training Union is the dynamic training medium it can and ought to be, you will usually find a well-organized program with specific goals for the various groups. These goals are inevitably centered around God's command, "go..... teach....".

Although the Training Union sponsored several events this year, they were less than enthusiastically received. For instance, "M" Night found little more than 150 out of 1,798 enrollment

in attendance, there were only twelve pastors and thirteen directors present. Our Association was represented in the Regional Adult and Young People Tournaments, but participation on the local church level was not as good as it should have been.

II. The times in which we live demand that our churches launch out, as never before, in programs of evangelism and Christian Training. Only as churches see this need and are challenged by it, will Training Union be a vital organization in the local church. New effort will have to be made to involve all church members in promoting the cause of Christ and His Church.

A new concept of Training Union in the 1970's calls for three major areas of Church Member Training. Your Associational Officers look forward to assisting the churches as they promote these areas of training: New Church Member Orientation is designed that those joining our churches will be instilled with a greater committment to the Lord and his work; Church Leadership Training will provide our churches with leaders especially trained to carry out the churches' programs; Church Member Training seeks to encourage week by week spiritual growth. Various Associational Training meetings are being provided to help these needs: ,'M" Night will seek to stimulate church members to become more involved in their local church organization —Please pray for this meeting and support it with your attendance; Church participation in Training Union sponsored tournaments will bring individual growth of members; Youth Night should be a challenge to our Youth for more dedication and fuller committment to Jesus Christ.

Paul still calls Christians to greater service and committment with his words: "Study to show thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth."

Respectfully submitted,
I. Carl Kincaid
II. Jim Ballard

EVANGELISM REPORT

Never before has there been given to Baptist of the Americas such a challenge and opportunity as is now given by the possibilities for evangelization of the nations through the Crusade of the Americas. Here is the one great opportunity of this present generation to demonstrate that "Christ is our Only Hope". Surely the eyes of the religious world are upon us. Some will wait for

our success while other await our failure. Nothing but praise goes out to those who have agreed to cooperate in the gigantic effort of giving witness to the Saviourhood and Lordship of Jesus Christ.

We are pleased that twenty-seven churches and missions in our association will be participating in the Crusade of the Americas, along with other churches in North and South America. The date set for our Association is April 6 - 20, 1969.

The following churches will be participating in the Crusade:

Calvary
China Grove, First
China Grove, South
Community
Cooleemee, First
Dunn's Mountain
East Corinth
East Spencer, First
Emmanuel
Enon
Faith
Landis
Milford Hills
Needmore
North Main Street
Oakdale
Pine Ridge
Rowan Mills
Salisbury, First
Southside
Spencer, First
Stallings Memorial
Trading Ford
Trinity
West Park
Franklin Mission
Oakland Heights Mission

Respectfully submitted,
Luther S. Bullard

REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE-PROMOTION COMMITTEE

The Rowan Baptist Executive-Promotion Committee met five times the past Associational Year. All these meetings were held at the First Baptist Church, Salisbury, N. C.

At the January 1968 meeting Dr. Claude White of the State Convention, Raleigh, N.C., was present and spoke on the Crusade of the Americas. Dr. White outlined plans and procedures for the Director-Led Sunday School Enlargement Campaign.

The second quarterly meeting of the new year was held on April 23, 1968. The Nominating Committee presented the following nominees: W. M. U. Director — Mrs. J. C. Scruggs; Music Chairman — Mrs. J. Earle Blalock; Baptist Men's Director — Mr. C. N. Collins; Baptist Training Union Director — Mr. Jim Ballard; Sunday School Director — Rev. LeRoy Cooper. Motion carried for acceptance of these officers.

A called meeting of the Executve-Promotion Committee was held on May 20, 1968 for the purpose of considering available

property for use as Associational Missionary's Parsonage. The Committee voted to purchase the Arthur Cross property, located on the Faith Road approximately one mile and a half from the East Innes Shopping Centers, and consisting of a tract of land and house for use as a Missionary home and acreage for religious retreat for a price of $35,000.00. Formal resolution regarding this matter was prepared and appears elsewhere in the Annual Minutes.

The third quarterly meeting was held on July 23, 1968 at which time the Moderator reported that the Arthur Cross property had been purchased, $16,000.00 down payment had been made from the Association's Home Savings & Loan Account, and a $19,000.00 loan had been obtained. The program for the Annual Session was approved as submitted by the Program Committee. The Proposed Budget for the year 1968-69 was approved as submitted by the Finance Committee. Approval was made of workers to serve in the Baptist Men's Organization, the Baptist Training Union, the Sunday School Organization, and the Music Department.

The final meeting of the Executive-Promotion Committee for the Associational Year was held on October 15, 1968. It was recommended that the Committee on Committees be asked to secure a Property Committee and a committee on Juvenile Delinquency. The final meeting of the Executive-Promotion Committee for the Associational Year adjourned with a prayer by Rev. Carl Kincaid.

Respectfully submitted,
James L. McCoy, Clerk

REPORT OF PLACE AND PREACHER COMMITTEE

The days for the annual meeting of the Rowan Baptist Association are predetermined by our constitution. The constitution stipulates that the Association will meet on Tuesday and Wednesday after the fourth Sunday in October. Therefore, the annual meeting of this Association in 1969 will be on October 28th and 29th.

We have received invitations from the Oakdale Church of Spencer and from the Emmanuel Church of Salisbury to meet with them in 1969. Your committee recommends that the Association meet with the Oakdale Church of Spencer on the first day and the Emmanuel Church of Salisbury on the second day.

We further recommend that John T. Holland, pastor of the Milford Hills church, preach the annual sermon and that Ralph C. Hammett, pastor of the North Main Church, be the alternate.

Respectfully submitted,
Ronald W. McSwain, Chairman
Marvin Smith
C. V. Talbert

REPORT OF NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Moderator ..... Graham Carlton

Vice-Moderator ..... Hayden M. Cartner

Clerk ..... James L. McCoy

Associate Clerk & Statistician ..... Mrs. James L. McCoy

Treasurer ..... Charles Summers

Chorister ..... Elmer Phipps

Pianist ..... Mrs. J. Earle Blalock

Sunday School Superintendent ..... Leroy Cooper

W.M.U. Director ..... Mrs. J. C. Scruggs

Training Union Director ..... Jim Ballard

Director of Baptist Men ..... C. N. Collins

Seminary Extension Director ..... Clyde Chapman

Music:

Music Ministry Chairman ..... Mrs. J. Earle Blalock
Congregational Singing ..... Charles R. Bolden
Graded Choirs ..... Mrs. R. M. Gregory, Chairman
Mrs. E. S. Smoot
Director of Instrumental Music ..... Mrs. E. H. Potts
Promotion ..... Miss Patsy Hudson
Pastor Advisor ..... Marvin Dameron

Trustees ..... Bob Davis, Chairman
Franklin Scarborough
Sam May

Respectfully Submitted,
Clyde Chapman
Mrs. R. B. Motley
C. G. Wise
Gordon Pope

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES

1968 - 1969

MISSIONS COMMITTEE: Rev. Victor Cole, Chairman; Mrs. Clyde Bias, Jr., Mrs. Herman Hood, Mrs. J. C. Scruggs, Rev. Kenneth Payne, Mr. Grant Freeze, Mr. S. A. Mayfield.

COMMITTEE ON RECEPTION OF NEW CHURCHES: Mr. Joe M. Blake, Sr., Chairman; Chaplain W. E. Haltom, Rev. J. D. Whisnant.

OBITUARY COMMITTEE: Mrs. J. M. Gupton, Chairman; Mrs. C. Brown Ketner, Mrs. John Drye.

PUBLIC MORALS AND CIVIC RIGHTEOUSNESS COMMITTEE: Mr. Richard Harrington, Chairman; Rev. W. S. Rollins, Mrs. E. J. Wagoner.

FINANCE COMMITTEE: Mr. Charles Summers, Chairman; Mr. J. H. Brower, Mr. Joe Jarrell.

RADIO AND TELEVISION COMMITTEE: Rev. Charles Burchette, Chairman; Rev. J. D. Whisnant, Mr. S. A. Mayfield.

PLACE AND PREACHER: Rev. Marvin Smith, Chairman; Rev. Ronald McSwain, Rev. C. V. Talbert.

RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE: Mrs. Fant Kelley, Chairman; Mr. T. R. Stepp, Mrs. Pearl Talbert.

NOMINATING COMMITTEE: Mr. Ronald Queen, Chairman; Rev. Banks Mullis, Mrs. Ronald McSwain, Mr. C. G. Wise, Rev. J. T. Holland.

AUDIO VISUAL AIDS: Rev. John Carter, Chairman; Mrs. J. C. Scruggs, Mr. A. E. Morris, Rev. Carl Kincaid, Mr. Herman Blakeman.

CAMP DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE: Mrs. Luther Bullard, Chairman; Mr. Grady Queen, Mr. Conrad Bost.

HISTORICAL COMMITTEE: Mrs. J. Earle Blalock, Chairman; Mrs. Reuben Hellard, Rev. R. N. Huneycutt.

EVANGELISM COMMITTEE: Rev. Luther Bullard, Chairman; Rev. Banks Mullis, Rev. Leroy Cooper, Rev. Marvin Dameron, Rev. H. M. Hocutt.

SEMINARY EXTENSION COMMITTEE: Dr. Clyde Chapman, Chairman; Rev. Hayden Cartner, Mr. J. L. Hensley.

JUVENILE DELINQUENCY AND REHABILITATION COMMITTEE: Mr. Edwin Koontz, Chairman; Mrs. Baxter Jordan, Mr. Wayne Harrelson.

PROPERTY COMMITTEE: Mr. T. R. Stepp, Chairman; Mr. Harold Myers, Mr. Elmer Phipps.

REPRESENTATIVES AND MEMBERS OF VARIOUS BOARDS

1. Christian Education ..... Dr. Daniel Kirk
2. Children's Home ..... Mrs. Morris Yates
3. Home For The Aging ..... Rev. W. S. Rollings
4. Christian Literature ..... Mrs. Reuben Hellard
5. Minister's Retirement ..... Mrs. Thomas D. Poole
6. American Bible Society ..... Mrs. E. Carr Choate
7. Baptist Hospital ..... Mrs. Hayden Cartner
8. Baptist Student Union ..... Mrs. Rebecca Reece
9. Cooperative Program ..... Mrs. Robert Brunson
10. Baptist Foundation ..... Rev. Joe Newton

Respectfully Submitted,
S. A. Mayfield, Acting Chairman
Mrs. E. Carr Choate
Mrs. James C. Elium
Rev. Clarence Jenkins

LIBRARY MINISTRY IN THE LOCAL CHURCH

At the heart of every institution of learning is a library. The New Testament Church is a learning fellowship—a school—and at the heart of this Christian fellowship there has always been a resource center. The Bible itself is a library.

All successful businesses provide necessary tools for making their personnel effective — sales manuals, typewriters, management courses, etc. Surely a church engaged in the most significant business in the world cannot be satisfied to do less.

Every church needs a library to provide the tools and resources for an adequate program of education and to provide helps for Christian living and witnessing for the individual member, be he Sunday School teacher, deacon, worker with young people or Extension Department visitor.

A church library is a resource center for all types of **printed materials** —books, pamphlets, tracts and clippings. But also included in the library should be **audio-visual aids** — slides, filmstrips, maps, recordings, pictures, projectors and record players, and **objects** such as globes, display cloths and missionary curios.

A church library assures the very best use of church funds that are spent for teaching aids, books, etc. It makes them **available to all** the members and conserves these materials for **maximum use.**

The church library is a partner with all the organizations of the church. Books are powerful allies in evangelism and world missions. They can get behind doors you can't enter. They can

say things you can't say, and they can stay longer. Books read in moments of seclusion and privacy sometimes become powerful tools of the Holy Spirit.

There are over 16,200 known libraries in Southern Baptist Churches. There were 17 reported in our Association last year.

Every church needs a library. Not just some books in a corner somewhere, but an effective, efficient information center for all organizations and age groups. It takes money and the library should be included in the church budget. And it takes WORK! But it's worth it!

Mrs. Edward D. Poe
Church Librarian
First Baptist Church
Salisbury, N. C.

NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST HOMES FOR THE AGING

Help for the helpless is perhaps the main principle of Christianity. From the standpoint of salvation and inclusion in the Kingdom of God, this is what Jesus does for all of us. The natural, original condition of a person is the condition of helplessness. It is this condition that arouses the compassion of our Lord. This is the only reason any of us can say that we are saved and enjoy the blessings of God. When John the Baptist inquired as to whether or not Jesus was the one who was to come, the Messiah, Jesus pointed to the helpless and to His ministry to them — the blind, the crippled, the diseased, the imprisioned, the poor, the dying . . . so, in Christianity, a **Human Need** is all it takes to establish the disciple's responsibility.

In this category of helplessness we must place the aging. Age itself is a producer of helplessness: it brings physical infirmity, mental incompetence, and sometimes the feeling of self-contempt and bitterness toward others. In most cases such a fate is not necessary.

We have an institution that ministers to people in this type of condition. There are five homes for the aging supported by Baptists of North Carolina: two at Winston-Salem, one at Albemarle, one at Hamilton, and one at Yanceyville. In these homes there is room to accommodate about 200 residents. The need is twofold: to expand this ministry and to more adequately support the existing home so as to render the best possible service. Our churches normally support the homes in two ways: (1) through the Cooperative Program from which the homes receive 12½% of the total, and (2) The Special Day Offering from which the homes receive 22½% of their total income. About 85% of the

residents receive some benefits from this love offering. The two sources combined provided about $200,000.00 in 1967.

In conclusion, let me quote a sentence from information received from the Homes for the Aging: "Unless these two vital sources of income (The Cooperative Program and The Special Day Offering) are increased considerably, your Baptist Homes cannot be maintained on their present basis of quality of care or quantity."

The suggested date for receiving the Special Day Offering is the **Third Sunday of February.**

Respectfully submitted,
William S. Rollings

BAPTIST HOSPITAL

This is a full year for Baptist Hospital: More than 30,000 people received medical service and Christian ministry, and more than 165,000 visits were made to the hospital clinics. More than 700 persons are in training in various fields of medical care and Christian service, and a vast amount of research is being done in the causes and treatment of diseases which afflict us and our loved ones.

The Development Program is progressing on schedule: The new power plant to begin operating this October; The Paramedical School Building to be ready by next April, it will double the capacity of our nine existing schools and add some new ones; The Medical School addition will be ready by September 1969 and will allow for 35% enrollment increase; Contracts for the new patient building will be let soon — when completed in 1971 along with remodeling of present building, it will provide for 200 additional beds, and greatly enlarged space for offices, examinations, and treatment. The cost is being met by interested individuals, corporations, foundations, & government agencies who recognize the valuable services rendered and the urgent needs for greatly enlarging these services.

This has been a very difficult year financially, and our hospital has been forced to make important changes in its financial policies. In the face of mounting costs and increasing needs, the hospital has been struggling with a growing deficit. We have been told this for several years, but the gap has continued to widen between the cost of free service and the amount of money available.

Free services from now on will be governed by the amount of Mother's Day Fund. A patient's hospital bill will be estimated in advance, available hospital insurance will be deducted, and

the balance must be paid before the patient is admitted unless he is certified by his county welfare or some other agency. Any balance beyond the estimated bill must be paid before patient is discharged. Emergency patients may be admitted before meeting the above requirement but the bill must be paid as soon after admission as possible. The Mother's Day Fund will be used as before to take care of the difference between the certifying agency payment and the actual cost of care.

The great concern at our Baptist Hospital is for these patients who must have financial assistance if they are to get the specialized care they need. But the hospital can not operate without the money necessary to cover the cost. In view of the circumstances, we believe that the great majority of our pastors and people will understand these changes and give their full cooperation. The Mother's Day Offering will have to be greatly increased if our hospital is to fulfill its mission to our people who need it most. We want to assure our hospital that it can depend upon us in full measure.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. Wade H. James

BAPTIST CHILDREN'S HOMES OF NORTH CAROLINA, INC.

North Carolina Baptists and other friends of the Children's Homes are making possible a Christian way of life for hundreds of boys and girls who otherwise would be denied many of life's best opportunities. More than 1300 children were assisted in some type of service during the past year.

All associated with the Children's Homes are deeply grateful for every type of support. Co-operative program income through the churches is increasingly important. Last year's Thanksgiving offering is the largest ever — now approaching $325,000. Special gifts, bequests through wills and estate planning provide much needed income and wonderful opportunities to invest in the lives of children and young people.

Encouraging progress is being made in the capital funds campaign to build a home for children in Western North Carolina to be located in Haywood County between Waynesville and Clyde. It is hoped that construction can begin in early 1969. The Western Home, in addition to providing group care, will strengthen all types of services now being provided children and their families in the Western area.

Four family style cottages have been constructed and dedicated during the past year — two at Mills Home and two at Kennedy Home. Two additional cottages will be constructed at Mills Home during the coming year. Funds for these buildings have

come from bequests through estate planning by friends of neglected and dependent children.

The number of good Christian homes for the care of foster children is growing. More are needed in all sections of the state. Foster homes serve children of all ages and are particularly helpful for some who have special needs. Couples with or without children of their own, who have an abundance of love, find this to be a challenging and rewarding oportunity for Christian service.

Members of the Board of Trustees and members of the staff of the Homes are dedicated to a program of child care that will merit the undivided loyalty and support of our people and that will be worthy the blessings of our Lord.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Barbara Sprinkle

1 Thessalonians, 4:14

For if we believe that Jesus died and rose again, even so them also which sleep in Jesus will God bring with him.

I NEEDED THE QUIET

I needed the quiet, so He took me aside,
Into the shadows where we could confide:
Away from the bustle, where all the day long
I hurried and worried, when active and strong.
I needed the quiet, though at first I rebelled,
But gently, so gently, my cross He upheld,
And whispered so sweetly of spiritual things,
Though weakened in body, my spirit took wings.

To heights never dreamed of when active and gay,
He loved me so greatly, He drew me away.
I needed the quiet, no prison my bed—
But a beautiful valley of blessed instead,
A place to grow richer, in Jesus to hide,
I needed the quiet, so He drew me aside.

—Alice H. Mortenson

Our Beloved Dead; Read by Rev. Hayden M. Cartner
Memorial Prayer: Mrs. J. M. Gupton

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Hayden M. Cartner, Chairman
Mrs. J. M. Gupton
Mrs. R. L. Troutman

OUR BELOVED DEAD

CALVARY: Mrs. Elsie Shuping, Mrs. John Burton, Mr. Aaron Whisnant, Mrs. J. R. Rabon.

CANAAN: Mrs. Lawrence Watts.

CHINA GROVE, FIRST: Mr. William H. Collins, Mr. Ennis Little, Mrs. Joe Baker.

CHINA GROVE, SOUTH: Mr. Otha Earnhardt, Mrs. Cornelia Rivers, Mr. Frank Staton.

COMMUNITY: Mrs. F. H. McCubbins, Mr. Jessie Miller.

COOLEEMEE, FIRST: Mrs. J. F. Everhardt, Mr. Paul Carter, Mr. Edgar Bowers, Mrs. J. E. Gregory.

DUNN'S MOUNTAIN: Mrs. Daisy Jones.

EAST CORNITH: Mrs. Lou Holshouser, Mrs. Augusta Ribelin.

EASTSIDE: Mrs. Lee Trexler.

EMMANUEL: Mr. Frank Norris, Mrs. Clara York.

FAITH: Mr. Kuykendall, Mrs. Arthur Carter, Mrs. Mattie Smith, Mrs. John Disher, Mr. J. H. Dwiggins, Mrs. George Barts.

GOLD HILL: Mr. John Brady.

GRACE: Mr. Jerry Wade.

LANDIS: Mr. Ira G. Daugherty, Mrs. Anna Beaver, Mrs. G. M. Tolar.

NEEDMORE: Mr. William Jackson Padgett.

MILFORD HILLS: Mr. D. J. Butler.

NORTH MAIN STREET: Mr. Z. W. Morris (Deacon), Mr. W. M. Saunders.

OAKDALE: Mr. H. L. Hinkle, Sr., Mr. Van Rickard, Sr., Mr. Harrell Lanning, Mr. Calvin Warren, Mr. Joseph P. Green, Mr. Lester G. Beck, Mr. Clarence Buie, Mrs. O. C. Call, Mr. Luther Ramsey, Mrs. C. R. Osborne, Mrs. Ray Grubb.

PINE RIDGE: Mrs. Agnes Teeter.

ROCKWELL: Mrs. J. C. Cheek, Mrs. John Eller.

ROWAN MILLS: Mr. Robert Lester Williams, Mr. Raymond Buff, Mrs. Rosa Dyson, Mr. Ira Soloman.

SALISBURY, FIRST: Mrs. Sam Edwards, Mr. C. A. Mesimer, Mr. James Tuck, Mr. J. T. Cauble, Mr. W. L. Perkins, Mrs. A. J. Godwin, Mr. Oscar Rodgers, Mrs. W. H. Cauble, Mr. Eugene Buckner, Mrs. Ralph H. Brown, Mrs. C. P. Mulder, Mrs. C. F. Hartley, Mrs. C. F. Atwell, Mr. C. R Lomax, Mr David Atwell, Mrs. Joe C. McDaniel, Mr. George Maynard, Mrs. J. P. Haynes, Mrs. S. B. Crump.

SOUTHSIDE: Mrs. Billy Gheen.

SPENCER, FIRST: Mrs. P. D. Bradburn, Mrs. W. C. Lomax, Mrs. W. P. Neister, Mr. J. F. Moore, Sr., Mr. H. D. Stutts, Mr. W. G. Walker.

STALLINGS MEMORIAL: Mrs. Sadie M. Glidden, Mrs. E. E. Petrea, Mrs. C. B. Waggoner, Mr. J. O. Holt (Deacon), Mr. Lester Stewart, Mr. John Taylor, Mrs. Una Fayssoux, Mr. George Russell, Mrs. A. P. Sills, Sr., Mrs. J. L. Baity, Mr. W. H. Yates, Mrs. H. A. Deadmon, Mrs. Minnie Lyerly, Mr. M. O. Deadmon.

TRADING FORD: Mr. Charles W. Wilson, Mr. M. A. Eller, Mr. Arnold Wise, Miss Lucy Orr.

TRINITY: Mrs. Helen Melton.

WEST CORINTH: Mr. Jack Rodgers, Mr. Harry Leazer.

WEST PARK: Mr. A. C. Leach.

YADKIN: Mr. Earl Dennis.

OAKLAND HEIGHTS MISSION: Mr. C. A. Beck.

PUBLIC MORALS AND CIVIC RIGHTEOUSNESS

What modern day influences contribute most to the public morals of our nation and the world? The early settlers of our Nation were filled with a desire for religious freedom and searched for it throughout the World. Upon becoming inhabitants of this land, they set strict moral standards for themselves as well as for other residents of the Community.

The steadying influence and most important factor in the ethical behavior of those people was the church. Religious beliefs were extremely important and behavior was carefully observed in the light of Christian teachings. Schools were closely affiliated with the spiritual teachings of the local residents.

Today a significant change has taken place. Our churches are no longer filled. Dedicated full-time Christian workers do not seem as numerous as they once were. Along with the population rise a sizable increase in crime has been reported. Even on the campuses of our educational institutions infringements on the rights of others, almost without excuse, seems to be a growing problem. On the streets of our cities and even in our homes, there is constant fear of physical harm from unknown assailants. The feeling that one is safe in his own community to go and come as he pleases has now passed. Why are things so different?

For one thing the church seems to have voluntarily withdrawn from the field of battle. In order to be in contact with it one must seek it out. Our isolationist policies have left many people

without fresh hope, new direction, or encouragement to seek after the "Good News".

In addition to not reaching those without the fold, lack of challenge has caused our members to drift silently and purposelessly. Feeding upon our office holding, pride, resentment of others, beautiful buildings, past successes and prejudices we refuse to humble ourselves and prepare for greater service. Not willing to give up anything, we deny others an opportunity to grow and serve. Filled with bitterness and even hate, we eagerly await the failure of others.

Billy Graham says that the United States is no longer a Christion Nation because less than one-half of our people are Christians.

Our moral direction seems to be dictated presently by newspaper, radio and television. What others are doing appeals to us. How much of this relates to the Bible or our Christ? What shall we do?

Let us launch out. We must be positive and aggressive. The Church must assume its role in Civic Righteousness. Participation and leadership in all areas of life must once again be our goal. A sense of great urgency must fill our entire being, personal and corporate, until Christ is in the home, the school, the office, the job, the playground, the Space Ship, Viet Nam, Europe, and everywhere God's children live.

Our Open Door Policy must become known; our Good Samaritan response instinctive; and our Good News Policy unending.

Respectfully submitted,
Robert M. (Bob) Davis

THE COOPERATIVE PROGRAM

What the budget is to the local church, the Cooperative Program is to the denomination. It is the main support for all Southern Baptist Missionary causes at home and abroad— it's preaching the gospel—it's healing in the name of Jesus through hospitals and clinics everywhere — it's teaching and training leaders for all the great tasks of Kingdom endeaver.

As our people worship with tithes and offerings Sunday by Sunday and as our church channels a worthy part of its income through the Cooperative Program, we enter into partnership with God and with one another in obedience to the command, "Go . . . preach . . . teach . . . !" Let us resolve to pray earnestly for all kingdom work through the Cooperative Program and support our prayers with sacrificial giving of self and substance.

A new Eight Day Stewardship Program will be available from

the Stewardship Commission of the Southern Baptist Convention on April 1. It will suggest visitation of every family in the church by the Deacons, prayer by every church member and a week-end stewardship revival. Many of the pilot churches have found this an effective way to increase giving and pledge the church's budget.

According to available records our association gave $73,164 during the last year for World Missions through the Cooperative Program, an increase of more than $11,000 over the previous year. The increase in receipts was $57,002 which means that more than 19% of the increase was given through the Cooperative Program. This increased compassion for a lost World is indeed commendable. Two more of our churches in the Rowan area have begun giving regularly through the Cooperative Program.

We recommend:

(1) That each church plan, vigorously promote, and subscribe a worthy church budget.

(2) That each church have a special prayer for Cooperative Program causes during each church service during one month —preferably October.

(3) That each church give regularly a worthy percentage of each offering plate dollar through the Cooperative Program for World Missions.

Respectfully Submitted,
Gerald W. Herrin

ANNUITY BOARD OF THE SOUTHERN BAPTIST CONVENTION

We are living in a time when all people think of and expect to receive retirement benefits when they reach retirement age. We think also of protection for the members of the family in the event that the one who is providing financial support should become disabled or should die before reaching retirement age. The Annuity Board of the Southern Baptist Convention has an adequate Protection Program to meet any and all these needs for our ministers and their families and for all other employees in our churches.

Rather than trying in this limited space to explain the different phases of the Protection Program, we give the name of Rev. Guy Cain of 301 Hillsboro Street, Raleigh, N. C., and we urge that any pastor or church not participating in the plan contact him immediately for information and help in getting an adequate plan started in your church. We suggest also that all the churches and ministers and other employees make sure that

they are doing all they should do to provide in the best way for the retirement period for the minister along with adequate protection for the members of the family. This matter is too important to put off or to take for granted. For information about every phase of the Protection Program contact Mr. Cain in Raleigh, or write to the Annuity Board, SBC, 511 North Akard Building, Dallas, Texas 75201. We urge that this be done without delay.

Respectfully submitted,

Thomas D. Poole

REPORT ON RADIO AND TELEVISION

The world seems to be expanding and shrinking at the same time! It's a paradox. More people, greater challenges and multiplied obstacles make the job of reaching men for Christ more difficult with each passing day. On the other hand, new communications techniques and improved electronic equipment make it possible to reach the world's population easier than ever before. For instance, the world shrinks a bit each time a transistor radio is bought or sold.

When the world's population is measured against the potential audience of a given religious program, the task which lies before the Christian world takes on positive aspects. The most promising path to any form of world evangelism lies in radio and television and with the professional experts who have learned to view them successfully. During the past decade, no field of Southern Baptist endeavor has grown so rapidly as that in which the Radio and Television Commission is engaged.

In the last year the Commission was on the front lines of our nation's spiritual warfare. A higher value was placed on the Commission's programs by station managers and owners, with time segments improving by 18 percent. Thus, the largest audience in the agency's history was reached with the Gospel of Christ. This was reflected in an increase volume of mail response.

An estimated 5000 of the letters received indicated that a decision had been made by the writer (profession of faith or some other major spiritual confrontation with Christ).

The gross number of stations carrying syndicated programing during the year totaled 2,645. Two estimated commercial value of the public service time given to these programs was $3,246,900.

Respectfully submitted by,

Chas. P. Burchette

CHRISTIAN LITERATURE

"A good beginning makes for a good ending." This old proverb holds true yet today. The christian home gives the **good beginning** and good christian literature found in the home will guide and inspire both young and old to have the **good ending.**

The best beginning is found in the "Book of Books." The Bible itself is a library consisting of volumes that interpret the way to live the christian life. Words of guidance for parents are found in Deut. 6:6 - 7 "And these words, which I command thee this day, shall be in thine hearts: And thou shalt teach them diligently unto thy children, and shalt talk of them when thou sittest in thine house, and when thou walkest by the way." Parents who will heed these words will experience the joy of seeing their children develop in knowledge and appreciation of the best reading materials.

Southern Baptist Convention provides some of the best literature that can be found anywhere. This is promoted through our Sunday School, Training Union, Brotherhood, Woman's Missionary Union of our Baptist churches. Our church libraries provide help and resources to make these departments more effective. Good books for all ages can be found in the library also, providing reading materials for good clean fun, information, inspiration and a never ending source of knowledge about our baptist work, local, state wide and south wide. You might be surprised to know that there are 35 periodicals prepared for us by the Southern Baptist Convention along with a periodical index that can be found in our libraries.

Let me close with this quote.... "Good books make straight the way for light for the soul on its journeyings." (Katherine Rogan)

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. C. Reuben Hellard

HISTORICAL REPORT

This is my Father's world, and let us ne'er forget,
that strife and wrong are still so strong
God is the ruler yet!

Our more than twelve hundred Rowan Baptists have had a blessed and rewarding year of growth and service. Franklin Mission, a lovely and enthusiastic suburban group of Baptists, was consolidated into a church on October 27, 1968. Rev. Carl Kincaid is pastor and we are grateful for a new church to add to our roster of thirty-five, now thirty-six churches and one mission.

Another wonderful happening in our association was the purchase of a home for our missionary, the attractive and substantial brick residence of Mr. Arthur Cross of a few miles out on the Faith road and set in a quiet and beautifully wooded area. The homestead lot includes several acres and visionary plans are already being formulated for its possible use.

We are most proud of Rev. Manly Hocutt, pastor of Oakdale church, and his historical committee for researching out and writing the history of Oakdale Church in an eighty-five page book that is ready for immediate release from the printer. We hope other churches will be inspired to do the same, for church history should be kept accurate and current.

Churches without pastors are Faith, Gold Hill, Grace and West Park. New Pastors are Rev. Victor G. Cole of Florence, South Carolina, who became pastor of Salisbury, First church in January. Rev. Bryson Bigby to East Corinth, Rev. Joe Richards to Emmanuel, and Rev. Dolph Robinson to Landis.

Interesting activities, homecomings, anniversaries, note-burnings, redecorating properties, adding heating and air conditioning units, beautifying the surrounding area of the church buildings and many other fine helpful things have been and are constantly being done among our churches.

W.M.U. as it takes on the new organizational look, is making progress in its work of prayer, study, service, missions and evangelism. We are grateful to report 288 baptisms and our increase of nearly ten thousand dollars to missions over last year.

Many of our churches still do not have brotherhoods or R. A. work among our young boys. East Spencer and Stallings have had coronations this year. Y.W.A.'s are doing a very fine training work, but among our youth and younger children there is a great need. Hopefully many of our churches will begin to build a Library. This is a great need and even a small but orderly beginning is helpful and inspiring.

We are awakening a renewed interest in the music ministry of our churches, and are planning a music school for January 13-15 with Mr. Charles Gatwood of Raleigh along with two other state workers.

Yadkin has added a new well for the parsonage and a heating plant for the church to their properties. Wyatt's Grove and Trading Ford are now free of debt. Community has put their pastor on full time service and have purchased a parsonage. Enon has completed a new pavillion for recreation and fellowship. Rowan Mills has completely redecorated their church including heating plant and air conditioning. Milford Hills has paid off the debt on their original structure and are now planning a new sanctuary.

While we thank God for our progress and blessings, we

should all in our "Crusade of the Americas" year be in daily and devout prayer for our world and the leaders in places of authority. Surely this includes our beloved pastors. Some immediate needs to accomplish among our churches are: A brotherhood in every church; every church cooperating fully with the association in support and prayer; every church should have a high percentage of voluntary tithers; every church should give and increase their cooperative program; every church should have a program for constantly training of leaders.

As we look to Christ, the author and finisher of our faith, our only hope, may we "walk in love" as his dear children, witnessing, serving and bearing forth the "message of good news."

Respectfully submitted,
Georgia Blalock, Historical Chairman

RESOLUTION OF EXECUTIVE-PROMOTION COMMITTEE

MAY 1968

BE IT RESOLVED that, for purposes of providing a suitable site for religious retreats, Christian recreation and a home for the Association's missionary, the Rowan Baptist Association purchased from Arthur Cross and wife Myrtle Cross that certain property including approximately 16 acres and a brick residence described in the following deeds: Deed Book 376, page 197; Deed Book 376, page 437 and Deed Book 428, page 383, in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Rowan County, N. C.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that upon delivery of a fee simple deed from Mr. and Mrs. Cross, the Association shall pay Mr. and Mrs. Cross the sum of $35,000 as the purchase price of this property.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that, for purposes of paying part of the said purchase price, the Rowan Baptist Association, acting through its Trustees, borrow the sum of $19,000 from the Home Savings and Loan Association, Salisbury, N. C., which sum shall bear interest at 7% per annum, be payable in monthly instalments of $171.00 each month extending over a 15-year period, with the express understanding that the balance due may be repaid at any time during the 15 year term of the loan.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Trustees are hereby authorized to execute for and in behalf of the Rowan Baptist Assocation a promissory note and deed of trust covering the aforesaid Cross properties and other documents in order to obtain the loan as aforesaid.

RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE

We, your committee on Resolutions, present the following:
Be IT RESOLVED:

1. That we express our gratitude to the pastor, and the members of First Baptist Church of China Grove, to the pastor and members of North Main Baptist Church, for their friendly welcome and gracious hospitality as host for the Forty-First Annual Session of the Rowan Baptist Association.
2. That we express our thanks to our Moderator, Brother Graham M. Carlton, the program committee, and to those participating on the program for a well arranged and presented program.
3. That we join in heartfelt thanksgiving to Almighty God for the marvelous riches of His grace bestowed upon us and the work of our association during the past year; and that we humbly plead for His blessings to be upon us individually and as an association during the coming year.
4. That we accept the challenge of compassion and concern expressed in our meeting and attempt to translate this feeling in our churches.

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. C. V. Talbert

CHURCH DIRECTORIES

ORDAINED MINISTERS

Calvary: E. F. Eagle .....Route 8, Salisbury 28144
Community: Archie Butts .....Fair Bluff, Ark 72200
Corriher Heights: Tom Davis .....Route 3, China Grove 28023
First Baptist, East Spencer: Jack Thomas—
300 Gold Hill Dr., Salisbury 28144
Emmanuel: James McLeod ..... 429 E. Bank St., Salis. 28144
Milford Hills: J. W. Loy, Jr. ....118 Shamrock Drive, Salis. 28144
Oakdale: J. W. Propst .....Box 405, Spencer 28159
Oakdale: William E. Haltom (CH) .....Box 105, Spencer 28159
Salisbury, First: Clay R. Barnes .....Route 2, Salisbury 28144
Stallings Memorial: J. H. Hill .....Klumac Street, Salis. 28144
Trading Ford: R. N. Huneycutt .....Route 4, Salisbury 28144
Trinity: Harold D. Hughes .....Route 6, Box 621, Salis. 28144
West Park: Ralph Stirewalt .....China Grove 28023

LICENSED MINISTERS

Calvary: Wade Bost .....1416 Filbert St., Salisbury 28144
Canaan: John M. Gobble .....Route 3, Salisbury 28144
Canaan: J. B. Hinson .....Route 11, Box 842, Salis. 28144
Community: C. W. Denham ....311 Parkwood Ave., Salis. 28144
Community: George Denham ....111 Seventh St., Spencer 28159
Corriher Heights: Joe Draper .....Route 3, China Grove 28023
Emmanuel: Richard Morefield .....218 S. Long St., Salis. 28144
Gold Hill: George Connell .....Gold Hill 28071
Gold Hill: H. J. Linker .....Gold Hill 28071
Gold Hill: Larry Beaver .....Route 2, China Grove 28023
Landis: Robert A. Steadman .....Route 7, Box 66, Salis. 28144
Landis: Charlie Holshouser .....Route 3, Box 144A, China Grove 28023
Pine Ridge: Max Vanderburg .....Route 2, China Grove 28023
Rockwell: M. T. Morton .....Route 1, Rockwell 28138
Rowan Mills: George Bradshaw .....Route 2, Salisbury 28144
Rowan Mills: Bruce Allman .....Route 11, Salisbury 28144
Rowan Mills: George Estes .....Route 6, Salisbury 28144
West Park: Paul Hunneycutt ....Route 2, Box 355, Rockwell 28138
West Park: Fred Atkinson .....Route 1, Box 11, Rockwell 28138

MINISTERS LICENSED AND ORDAINED THIS YEAR

Emmanuel: John Mower (O) ....Columbia, South Carolina 29200
Gold Hill: Larry Beaver (L) .....Route 2, China Grove 28023
Pine Ridge: Max Vanderburg (L) ....Route 2, China Grove 28023
Providence: J. D. Wall (O) .....Route 1, Box 198, Kannap. 28081
Salisbury, First: Walter S. Coleman (O) .....Oxford 27565

West Park: Paul Hunneycutt (L)—
Route 2, Box 355, Rockwell 28138
West Park: Fred Atkinson (L)....Route 1, Box 11, Rockwell 28138

MISSIONS

Franklin Mission — sponsored by Calvary Church
(Organized into a church October 27, 1968)
Oakland Heights Mission — sponsored by Trading Ford Church and the Rowan Baptist Association.

VISUAL EDUCATION DIRECTOR

John E. Carter, Associational Missionary—
Route 3, Box 45, Salisbury 28144

PIANISTS AND ORGANISTS

Calvary: .....Miss Nelda Chunn, Route 8, Salisbury 28144
Calvary: .....Miss Sue Eagle, Route 8, Salisbury 28144
Canaan: ... Mrs. J. D. Hogsed, Route 3, Box 910, Salisbury 28144
China Grove, First:
Mrs. R. J. Davis, 404 Chapel St., China Grove 28023
China Grove, First:
Mrs. Max Collins, Route 1, Box 113, China Grove 28023
China Grove, South:
Mrs. Buddy Pinyan, 608 Mitchell Street, China Grove 28023
Community: .....Miss Cathy Hellard, Granite Quarry 28072
Cooleemee, First:
Mrs. Margaret Brinegar, P. O. Box 94, Cooleemee 27014
Corriher Heights: .....Miss Inez Broome, Box 582, Landis 28088
Dunn's Mountain:
Mrs. James L. McCoy, Route 10, Box 176, Salisbury 28144
East Corinth:
Mrs. Beatrice Goodman, Route 1, Box 171, Gold Hill 28071
East Spencer, First:
Mrs. H. D. Shelton, Box 158, East Spencer 28039
Eastside: .....Mrs. Charles Lewis, Route 5, Salisbury 28144
Emmanuel: ....Miss Vickie Reep, 411 Rose Ave., Salisbury 28144
Emmanuel: .....Miss Louise Smith, Granite Quarry 28072
Enon .....Mrs. Laura Menster, 800 7th St., Spencer 28159
Enon: .....Miss Linda Swicegood, Salisbury 28144
Faith: ....Mrs. Arthur Rodgers, Route 3, Box 927, Kannap. 28081
Faith: .....Miss Tana Trexler, Route 3, Salisbury 28144
Gold Hill: .....Mrs. Vera Eudy, Box 92, Gold Hill 28071

Grace: .....Mrs. Joyce Burris, 1203 Lane St., Kannapolis 28081
Landis: ....Mrs. Billie Abernathy, Rt. 7, Box 736, Salisbury 28144
Landis:
Mrs. Gladys Roseman, 1104 N. Walnut Ave., Kannapolis 28081
Milford Hills:
Mrs. Barbara Hoffman, 723 Maupin Ave., Salisbury 28144
Needmore: ....Mrs. Tommy Hendrix, Jr., Rt. 1, Woodleaf 27054
Needmore: .....Miss Annie Murph, Route 1, Woodleaf 27054
North Main:
Mrs. Kenneth Powell, 1612 N. Main St., Salisbury 28144
Oakdale:
Mrs. Michael Lane, 414 Forestdale Dr., Spencer 28159
Pine Ridge: ....Mrs. Bonnie Schenck, Rt. 2, China Grove 28023
Providence:... Mrs. Elaine Wall, Rt. 1, Box 198, Kannapolis 28081
Rockwell: ....Mrs. Joe Robbin, Route 1, Box 72-A, Salisbury 28144
Rockwell: ....Mrs. David Boger, Route 1, Box 17, Rockwell 28138
Rowan Mills: ..... Mrs. Jake Watson, Route 1, Salisbury 28144
Rowan Mills:... Mrs. Ruby Flowers, 131 Bross Dr., Salisbury 28144
Salisbury, First
Vaughn C. Luckadoo, Route 6, Box 560, Salisbury 28144
Salisbury, First
Mrs. J. Earle Blalock, 120 E. Miller St., Salisbury 28144
Southside: ....Mrs. Buford Shook, 126 Dunham Ave., Salis. 28144
Southside: ....Miss Linda Cope, 323 Rose Ave., Salisbury 28144
Spencer, First
Miss Virginia Neister, 416 N. Rowan Ave., Spencer 28159
Stallings Memorial:
Mrs. E. H. Potts, 421 N. Iredell Avenue, Spencer 28159
Stallings Memorial:
Mrs. Johnnie Sutton, 225 Elm Street, Salisbury 28144
Trading Ford: ..... Mrs. Grady Barber, Rt. 4, Salisbury 28144
Trading Ford:....Mrs. David Barker, 404 Oak Drive, Spencer 28159
Trinity: Miss Sylvia Beckom, 1107 S. Rowan Ave., Spencer 28159
Trinity: ....Mrs. O. Ray Vess, Route 7, Box 730, Salisbury 28144
West Corinth:.....Mrs. James Miller, Route 3, Mooresville 28115
West Corinth: ....Miss Sheila Freeze, Route 3, Mooresville 28115
West Park: ....Mrs. James K. Smith, Kesler Park, Salisbury 28144
Wyatts Grove: Miss Sue Beam, Rt. 1, Box 261, Richfield 28137
Yadkin: .....Mrs. Dorothy Peacock, Rt. 1, Linwood 27299
Franklin Mission: .....Mrs. Roy Parchment, Rt. 1, Salisbury 28144
Oakland Heights Mission:
Mrs. Elihu Brown, 608 Morlan Park Rd., Salisbury 28144
Oakland Heights Mission:
Mrs. Kenneth Payne, Route 3, Box 29, Salisbury 28144

Statistical Tables

TABLE A CHURCH AND MEMBERSHIP

CHURCHES	PASTORS AND ADDRESSES (Include ZIP Code)	Year organized as a church	Location 1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-0	Services held twice on Sunday Yes or No	No. Local Missions Operated by Church	Total Baptisms	Other Additions (by Letter, Statements, etc.)	Members Lost (by Death, letter, Revision Church Roll)	Present Resident Members	Present Non-Resident Members	Grand Total Present Members	No Members Received from Non-Baptist Churches	No Members Lost to Non-Baptist Churches	Pastor's Annual Salary
Calvary	J. D. Whisnant, Route 8, Box 669, Salisbury 28144	1895	1	Yes	1	6	9	16	551	75	626		1	5,980
Canaan	J. D. Hogsed, Route 3, Box 910, Salisbury 28144	1960	1	Yes		13	20	13	114	5	119	6		2,600
China Grove, First	R. O. Brinkley, 306 W. Patterson St., China Grove 28023	1888	3	Yes	1	5	14	15	283	77	360		4	6,454
China Grove, South	Gordon Pope, 505 Haney St., China Grove 28023	1928	3	Yes		1	7	4	190	40	230			5,980
Community (S)	Larry C. Linker, 507 S. Iredell Ave., Spencer 28159	1950	6	Yes	1	7	4	4	105	49	154	2		4 420
Cooleemee, First	Charles P. Burchette, Box 518, Cooleemee 27014	1901	3	Yes		16	8	62	424	117	541	8	9	6,200
Corriher Heights	Harley Faulkenberry, 701 Terrace Dr., Kannapolis 28081	1950	2	Yes		2	1		65	46	111	2		2,080
Dunn's Mountain	Ronald W. McSwain, Route 10, Box 160, Salisbury 28144	1905	2	Yes		10	12	19	300	55	355	1		5,200
East Corinth	Bryson Bigby, Route 1, Box 175, Gold Hill 28071	1867	1	No		2	7	8	81	51	132			4,160
East Spencer, First	Marvin Smith, Box 396, East Spencer 28039	1921	3	Yes		2	7	4	115	30	145	2	2	3,975
Eastside	Lewis W. Archer, Route 1, Box 589, Salisbury 28144	1953	1	Yes		3		2	68	7	75			2,120
Emmanuel (S)	Joe Richards, 605 E. Cemetery St., Salisbury 28144	1950	4	Yes		7	4	20	272	40	312		5	6,500
Enon	L. S. Bullard, Route 9, Box 170, Salisbury 28144	1900	7	Yes		4	5	8	268	60	328		3	6,500
Faith	M. Ray McKay (Interim), Raleigh 27600	1898	3	Yes		11		27	289	17	306	3		5,894
Gold Hill	Larry Beaver (Interim), Route 2, China Grove 28023	1874	2	Yes				11	55	44	99		1	3,640
Grace	None	1942	6	Yes		1	1	6	157	101	258			5,200
Landis	Dolph Robinson, Box 8, Landis 28088	1926	4	Yes		16	16	26	800	186	986		1	7,245
Milford Hills (S)	John T. Holland, 1300 E. Colonial Dr., Salisbury 28144	1960	7	Yes		11	38	18	302	9	311	10	1	6,800
Needmore	Wade H. James, Route 1, Box 54, Woodleaf 27054	1943	1	No		15	3	3	128	44	172	1		4,770
North Main Street	Ralph C. Hammett, 119 E. 15th Street, Salisbury 28144	1909	5	Yes			1	8	294	204	498			5,222
Oakdale (Sp.)	H. M. Hocutt,, 113 Charles St., Spencer 28159	1925	4	Yes		4	5	19	362	126	488		4	7,020
Pine Ridge	W. S. Rollings, Route 2, China Grove 28023	1948	1	Yes		4		3	94	53	147			5,200
Providence (ES)	J. D. Wall, Route 1, Box 198, Kannapolis 28081	1960	3	Yes		5	4	1	44	19	63		1	1,300
Rockwell	C. V. Talbert, Route 3, Box 205, Salisbury 28144	1906	3	No		4	1	3	150	50	200		1	5,200
Rowan Mills	Leroy Cooper, Route 2, Box 204, Salisbury 28144	1925	2	Yes		15	20	55	300	165	465		2	5 200
Salisbury, First	Victor G. Cole, 732 Mocksville Ave., Salisbury 28144	1849	5	Yes		14	54	56	909	153	1,062	4	5	9,000
Southside	Clarence Jenkins, 517 Morlan Park Rd., Salisbury 28144	1942	3	Yes		19	15	10	424	87	511			6,060
Spencer, First	Clyde D. Chapman, 216 Fifth St., Spencer 28159	1898	3	Yes		15	4	16	431	93	524		1	7,391
Stallings Memorial	Hayden M. Cartner, 710 Maupin Ave., Salisbury 28144	1899	5	Yes		16	33	40	696	150	846	1	6	8,515
Trading Ford	Banks W. Mullis, Route 4, Salisbury 28144	1870	2	No		2	2	16	501	50	551			7,800
Trinity	W. M. Dameron, 611 Carolina Ave., Spencer 28159	1944	4	Yes		19	13	13	274	66	340			5,200
West Corinth	Horace Moree, Route 3, Mooresville 28115	1894	1	Yes		12	9	9	209	12	221	3	4	5,745
West Park	None	1940	1	Yes		10	8	9	85	80	165			5,200
Wyatts Grove	R. N. Huneycutt, Route 4, Salisbury 28144	1911	1	Yes		4		10	107	23	130			4,160
Yadkin	A. Joe Newton, Route 1, Linwood 27299	1947	2	Yes		3	4	4	116	72	188			4,560
Franklin Mission	Carl Kincaid, Route 1, Salisbury 28144		2	Yes		3	8	3	93	15	108			4,045
Oakland Heights Mission	Kenneth L. Payne, Route 3, Box 29, Salisbury 28144		7	Yes		7	9	12	102	6	108			2,600
	TOTALS				3	288	346	553	9,758	2,477	12,235	43	51	

GRAHAM CARLTON, Moderator
JAMES L. McCOY, Clerk

TABLE B THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

CHURCHES	SUNDAY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENTS AND ADDRESSES (Include ZIP Code)	Nursery (under 3) Enrolment	Beginners (4-5) Enrolment	Primaries (6-8) Enrolment	Juniors (9-12) Enrolment	Intermediates 13-16) Enrolment	Young People Single (17-24) Enrolment	Young People Married (17-24) Enrolment	Adults (25-34) Enrolment	Adults (35-64) Enrolment	Adults (65 up) Enrolment	Extension Dept. Enrolment	Cradle Roll Enrol. (Home Ministry)	Young People Away (17-24) Enrolment	Fellowship Bible Classes	General Officers	Mission Enrolment	Total Enrolment	Average Weekly Attendance	No. New SS Classes Organized Past Year	Church V.B.S. Enrolment	Mission V.B.S. Enrolment	Total V.B.S. Enrolment
Calvary	Perry Whisnant, Route 8, Salisbury 28144	11	11	25	30	36	19		42	61	37	12		21		5		310	240		93		93
Canaan	I. C. Lambert, Route 2, Box 341A, Rockwell 28138	8	12	13	17	18	13	9		32						2		124	90		83		83
China Grove, First	Fred Board, 411 W. Patterson St., China Grove 28023	13	8	26	29	31	13	8		131		7				5	18	269	175	1	72		72
China Grove, South	Bobby Talbert, Box 243, China Grove 28023	11	7	19	28	18	9	2	12	40	11	5		2		3		167	92		90		90
Community (S)	Robert L. Ervin, Route 3, China Grove 28023	2	12	7	5	9	3	4	12	19	4					2	90	169	130	1	48		48
Cooleemee, First	C. F. Ridenhour, Jr., Box 193, Cooleemee 27014	22	13	35	44	44	33	15	29	129	51	15				3		433	182		103		103
Corriher Heights	Roy Burris, Box 582, Landis 28088	2	2	10	10	16	6	6	30					2		4		88	35		54		54
Dunn's Mountain	Herman H. Blakeman, 626 W. Council St., Salisbury 28144	19	21	20	21	27	34	27	28	55	32	10	1	13		4		312	177		138	65	203
East Corinth	Coy L. Morgan, 1011 Rosemary Ave., Kannapolis 28081	11	5	5	11	10	5	10	6	7	11			3		6		90	54		51		51
East Spencer, First	Spurgeon Huneycutt, Box 25, East Spencer 28039	3	12	9	20	13	15	3	8	37	3			2		2		127	78		63		63
Eastside	Walter Morrison, Route 5, Box 425, Salisbury 28144	9	6	6	8	7	6	6	10	5						3		66	38		53		53
Emmanuel (S)	James Lanning, 816 E. Franklin St., Salisbury 28144	6	8	18	16	19	23		31	52		9		8		4		194	118	1	55		55
Enon	C. G. Wise, Route 9, Salisbury 28144	26	14	32	38	12	12	16	47	41	20	6		10		3		277	186		107		107
Faith	Duard L. Gardner, Box 111, Faith 28041	31	18	27	37	32	20	19		145		16						345	168		89		89
Gold Hill	Wayne Taylor, Box 143, Gold Hill 28071	11	5	7	12	7	10			32								84	44				
Grace	F. M. Stowe, 811 Carolyn Ave., Kannapolis 28081	5	7	13	18	19	5	6	14	26	8			5		4		130	62		67		67
Landis	Sam Chapman, Route 3, Box 396, China Grove 28023	23	47	39	74	45		67		202		11	1			11		520	397		127		127
Milford Hills (S)	Bryan Merrill, Route 6, Westmont, Salisbury 28144	31	30	32	48	26	11	24	52	57		5		5		3		324	152	1	93		93
Needmore	Ronda Saine, Route 1, Woodleaf 27054		23	15	18	12	15		15	35						5		138	104		75		75
North Main Street	Howard Hillard, 502 E. Lafayette St., Salisbury 28144	10	7	18	24	18	16		30	50	21	12				3		209	113		76		76
Oakdale (Sp.)	Paul Hinkle, Box 191, Spencer 28159	14	13	17	36	45	26	10	7	100	50	21	9	11		3		362	191		94		94
Pine Ridge	Bobby Scercy, Route 2, China Grove 28023	10	6	13	20	13	8	21		30				1		4		126	81		65		65
Providence (ES)	Ernest Lowman, Earnhardt Street, East Spencer 28039	5	4	1	5	4	1	6	5	15	5					2		53	33				
Rockwell	Mrs. David Boger, Route 1, Box 17, Rockwell 28138	5	12	10	22	16	7	12		31	28					3		146	102		60		60
Rowan Mills	Porter Brinkley, 2031 N. Park Dr., Salisbury 28144	3	17	17	29	16	7	8	16	59	17					6		195	140		84		84
Salisbury, First	Graham Carlton, Box 442, Salisbury 28144	58	40	48	69	114	33	16	121	215	99	35	5	61	40	8		962	364		123		123
Southside	David Pruett, Route 2, Stoney Brook, Salisbury 28144	15	8	24	30	20	16		33	60				2		3		211	150		125		125
Spencer, First	W. S. Baker, 511 S. Yadkin Ave., Spencer 28159	24	11	35	42	44	33		33		108	13	17	13		4		377	150		94		94
Stallings Memorial	Burton C. Barringer, 230 Bellevue Rd., Salisbury 28144	50	36	52	87	74	33	50	78	120	65	25				7		677	368		208		208
Trading Ford	Lacy Barber, 900 N. Salisbury Ave., Spencer 28159	18	19	29	42	39	20		161			9		5		4		346	225		115		115
Trinity	T. R. Wise, 1009 Fourth Street, Spencer 28159	8	17	14	25	25	18	14	17	45	23	10	1	2		4	20	243	101		86		86
West Corinth	James W. Miller, Route 3, Mooresville 28115	16	12	18	16	14	17	24	24	37						4		182	100		87		87
West Park	Ben Patterson, Route 1, Rockwell 28138	13	15	9	21	38		21	48									165			106		106
Wyatts Grove	W. M. Morgan, Route 1, Box 290, Gold Hill 28071	2	4	1	8	6	5		5	18						5		54	30				
Yadkin	Fred Koontz, Route 1, Box 259, Linwood 27299	7	14	10	11	7	10	12		33		32				3		139	100		107		107
Franklin Mission	John K. Hunter, Route 1, Box 592, Salisbury 28144	17	11	11	22	13	5		24	25	1					3		132	85		63		63
Oakland Hts. Mission	Elihu Brown, 608 Morlan Park Rd., Salisbury 28144	13	2	5	13	6	3	8		20						4		74	35		82		82
	TOTALS	532	509	690	1,006	913	510	424	938	1,964	594	253	34	166	40	139	128	8,840		4	3,036	65	3,101

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TABLE C TRAINING UNION

CHURCHES	TRAINING UNION DIRECTORS AND ADDRESSES (Include ZIP Code)	Nursery (3 or under) Enrol.	Beginners (4-5) Enrolment	Primaries (6-8) Enrolment	Juniors (9-12) Enrolment	Intermediates (13-16) Enrolment	Young People Single (17-24) Enrolment	Young People Married (17-24) Enrolment	Adults (25-34) Enrolment	Adults (35-64) Enrolment	Adults (65 up) Enrolment	General Officers	Mission Enrolment	Total Ongoing Enrolment	Average Weekly Total Attendance	No. of New Unions Organized Past Year	New Member Orientation-Cum. Enrol.	Church Leader Training-Cum. Enrol.	Member Training Projects-Cum. Enrol.	Grand Total Ongoing & Cumulative Enrol.
Calvary	Mrs. J. D. Whisnant, Route 8, Salisbury 28144			9	7	7	3		14			2		42	40					42
Canaan	None																			
China Grove, First	Franklin Scarborough, 905 Klondale Ave., China Grove 28023	1		5	7	11	10			20		4		58	39					58
China Grove, South	None																			
Community (S)	Mrs. Betty Peeler, 321 Calhoun St., Salisbury 28144				6	9			3	15	3	1		37	34					37
Cooleemee, First	Ray Jordan, Box 423, Cooleemee 27014				12	10	15			8		2		47	21					47
Corriher Heights	None																			
Dunn's Mountain	C. M. Miller, Jr., Route 10, Box 169, Salisbury 28144		4	6	20	14	17			25	5	5		96	45					96
East Corinth	J. D. Goodman, Route 1, Box 171, Gold Hill 28071		6	4	5	6	7			4		3		35	20					35
East Spencer, First	Mrs. Marvin Smith, Box 396, East Spencer 28039			2	6	4	6		2	8	2	2		32	18					32
Eastside	Mrs. Joseph Goodman, Gardner St., Faith 28041	3	5	2	2	2	1	2		3		3		23	16					23
Emmanuel (S)	C. L. Lentz, Route 10, Box 664, Salisbury 28144	3	4	4	6	8	15			12		3		55	37					55
Enon	Harold B. Cartner, Route 1, Box 176-A, Woodleaf 27054	10	5	11	12	3	9		13	22		2		87	51		4			91
Faith	Howard Horton, Route 2, Box 67, Rockwell 28138	2	3	6	8	10	11		4	40	4	3		91	44					91
Gold Hill	None																			
Grace	John Sullivan, 1108 East 13th Street, Kannapolis 28081	3	2	3	6	3				6		2		25	6					25
Landis	Steve Rollins, 1002 Robinhood Lane, Kannapolis 28081	6	7	6	13	15	6	22		23		3		101	70					101
Milford Hills (S)	None	8	9	15	13	12			18	18				93				20		113
Needmore	Miss Annie Murph, Route 1, Woodleaf 27054		3	4	7	4				12	2	3		35	25					35
North Main Street	Mrs. Ben Braswell, 1701 Fourth Street, Salisbury 28144	2	2	5	12	8	4		4	10	8	3		58	32					58
Oakdale (Sp.)	None			5	8	11	10			17		5		56	48					56
Pine Ridge	Lee Crawford, Route 2, China Grove 28023		1	4	11	6	6		12	4	3	4		51	40					51
Providence (ES)	Howard Lowman, Earnhardt Street, East Spencer 28039	3	2	1	5	4	1	1	2	12	2	1		34	18					34
Rockwell	E. Maners, Route 5, Salisbury 28144				10	10				15	3	3		41	30					41
Rowan Mills	Bill Raymer, Route 2, Box 381, Salisbury 28144			4	9	9			7	4		3		36	30					36
Salisbury, First	Olin Bullock, Route 6, Salisbury 28144	15	7	9	13	33				31		2		110	54					110
Southside	None																			
Spencer, First	Jack Camp, 415 Carolina Ave., Spencer 28159		6		14	6	16			12		2		56	35		13			69
Stallings Memorial	Lester Peeler, Route 1, Box 593, Salisbury 28144			9	28	24	13		4	12	15	4		109	76					109
Trading Ford	Ronald G. Queen, Route 4, Salisbury 28144	2	2	4	4	2	6			18		3		41	18					41
Trinity	S. Lonnie Goodman, 608 Carolina Blvd., Spencer 28159	3	3	2	12	9	9		7	12		3		60	37					60
West Corinth	Mrs. Horace Moree, Route 3, Mooresville 28115			5	5	11				7	4	3		35	20					35
West Park	None																			
Wyatts Grove	None																			
Yadkin	None																			
Franklin Mission	Coy Rimer, Route 1, Salisbury 28144	1	10	3	7	7			23			1		52	25					52
Oakland Heights Mission	Mrs. Kenneth L. Payne, Route 3, Box 29, Salisbury 28144	3	3	4	3				6	12		3		34	21					34
	TOTALS	65	84	132	271	258	165	25	119	382	51	78		1,630			17	20		1,667

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TABLE D MUSIC MINISTRY

CHURCHES	MUSIC DIRECTORS AND ADDRESSES (Include ZIP Code)	Beginners (4-5) Enrolment	Primaries (6-8) Enrolment	Juniors (9-12) Enrolment	Intermediates (13-16) Enrolment	Young People Single & Married Enrolment	Adults Enrolment	Vocal Ensembles	Band or Orchestra	Instrumental Ensembles	Handbell Ringers	General Officers	Mission Enrolment	Total Enrolment	Average Weekly Attendance	No. Choirs, Ensembles, Etc., Organized Past Yr.
Calvary	Mrs. Ed Russell, Route 8, Salisbury 28144		4	8	12	4	15							43	25	
Canaan	J. B. Hinson, Route 11, Box 842, Salisbury 28144															
China Grove, First	Randy Overcash, Route 3, Box 734, Salisbury 28144						25							25	13	
China Grove, South	William C. Abernathy, Route 11, Box 255, Salisbury 28144			15	3	6	18	1						43	15	
Community (S)	Roy Daugherty, Route 2, China Grove 28023		1	2	3	4	10	8						28	24	
Cooleemee, First	Lynn Hopkins, Route 8, Box 178-A, Salisbury 28144	6	15	24			25					2		72	55	
Corriher Heights	J. M. Watts, 1213 East 11th Street, Kannapolis 28081				6		12							18		
Dunn's Mountain	Grover Miller, Route 10, Box 172, Salisbury 28144		8	16	12	8	15							59	25	
East Corinth	J. D. Goodman, Route 1, Box 171, Gold Hill 28071			1	3	4	11					2		21	18	
East Spencer, First	None					3	13							16	12	
Eastside	Miss Betty Freeman, Route 10, Box 618, Salisbury 28144			5	3	2	9					1		20		
Emmanuel (S)	Mrs. Ruth Knight, Route 10, Box 227, Salisbury 28144					20	20	2						42	30	
Enon	Arnold B. Poteat, Route 9, Box 27, Salisbury 28144		15		10	12	15							52		
Faith	Joe Moon	7	7	21	13	8	23							79	30	
Gold Hill	Harry L. Beaver, Route 2, Box 419-A, China Grove 28023															
Grace	None						16							16	14	
Landis	Elmer Phipps, 409 W. Merritt Avenue, Salisbury 28144						55							55		
Milford Hills (S)	Jack Thomas, Route 9, Salisbury 28144	9	15	13	12		23							72		
Needmore	Mrs. R. C. West, Route 1, Woodleaf 27054															
North Main Street	Mrs. B. W. Hendrix, Route 6, Salisbury 28144		7	10			25					2		44	24	
Oakdale (Sp.)	Marvin Wigginton, Catawba College, Salisbury 28144						16							16		
Pine Ridge	Mrs. Lee Crawford, Route 2, China Grove 28023			14			16							30	14	1
Providence (ES)	Ernest Lowman, Earnhardt Street, East Spencer 28039															
Rockwell	Wentworth Beck, Box 172, Faith 28041			8	16		25							49	25	
Rowan Mills	Ralph Cooper, Route 2, Salisbury 28144			5	6	7	19							37	35	
Salisbury, First	Mrs. R. M. Gregory, 617 Catawba Road, Salisbury 28144	11	19	23	16	17	21					5		112	80	
Southside	Norman C. Harriss, Route 3, Box 131, Salisbury 28144															
Spencer, First	Miss Lucille Epperson, Catawba College, Salisbury 28144			15			24							39		
Stallings Memorial	Charles R. Bolden, Route 1, Box 283, Salisbury 28144			25	20		18	4						67	44	
Trading Ford	Edwin E. Koontz, Route 4, Salisbury 28144					12	24					5		41	18	
Trinity	O. Ray Vess, Route 7, Box 730, Salisbury 28144			6	15		18							39	25	
West Corinth	James W. Miller, Route 3, Box 300, Mooresville 28115					10	12							22	18	
West Park	Paul Hunneycutt, Route 2, Box 355, Rockwell 28138															
Wyatts Grove	Herman R. File, Route 4, Box 111, Salisbury 28144				2	19								21		
Yadkin	Tommy Lanning, Box 1100, Salisbury 28144		2	2			16							20	16	1
Franklin Mission	Mrs. Robert Ball, Route 1, Box 588, Salisbury 28144						15							15	10	
Oakland Heights Mission	Kenneth L. Payne, Route 3, Box 29, Salisbury 28144			6			9							15	10	
	TOTALS	33	93	219	152	136	563	15				17		1,228		2

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TABLE E BROTHERHOOD WORK

CHURCHES	DIRECTORS OF MEN'S BROTHERHOODS AND ADDRESSES (Include ZIP Code)	Crusaders (9-11) Chapters	Crusaders (9-11) Enrolment	Pioneers (12-14) Chapters	Pioneers (12-14) Enrolment	Ambassadors (15-17) Chapters	Ambassadors (15-17) Enrolment	Total RA Chapters	Total RA Enrolment	Baptist Young Men Enrolment	Baptist Men Enrolment	Total Men Enrolled	Mission Enrolment (RAS and Men)	Total Enrolment
Calvary	Ed Russell, Route 8, Salisbury 28144	1	6	1	14			2	20		15	15		35
Canaan	None	1	9					1	9					9
China Grove, First	Harold Thompson, Box 156, China Grove 28023	1	7		1		1	1	9		36	36		45
China Grove, South	None													
Community (S)	Bill H. Peeler, 321 Calhoun Street, Salisbury 28144										10	10		10
Cooleemee, First	None	1	15	1	10			2	25					25
Corriher Heights	None													
Dunn's Mountain	Donald W. Livengood, Route 10, Box 225, Salisbury 28144			1	15			1	15		20	20		35
East Corinth	None													
East Spencer, First	None													
Eastside	None													
Emmanuel (S)	Richard Morefield, 218 S. Long Street, Salisbury 28144	1	6	1	4			2	10					10
Enon	Carl Wright, Route 2, Box 14, Cleveland 27013	1	12	1	5			2	17		15	15		32
Faith	Gerald Herrin,, Route 7, Box 852, Salisbury 28144	1	4	1	5			2	9		25	25		34
Gold Hill	None													
Grace	None			1	8			1	8					8
Landis	Howard Rary, 902 S. Franklin Street, China Grove 28023	1	13	1	3			2	16		20	20		36
Milford Hills (S)	Velney Barnette, 506 Meadowbrook Circle, Salisbury 28144	1	8	1	8	1	8	3	24		28	28		52
Needmore	None													
North Main Street	Kenneth Powell, 1612 N. Main Street, Salisbury 28144	1	3	1	5	1	4	3	12		28	28		40
Oakdale (Sp.)	Rev. William Haltom, Box 105, Spencer 28159													
Pine Ridge	E. L. Morgan, Route 2, Box 517, China Grove 28023	1	4	1	3			2	7		10	10		17
Providence (ES)	Howard Lowman, Earnhardt Street, East Spencer 28039										5	5		5
Rockwell	O. T. Medley, Box 125, Rockwell 28138	1	3	1	5	1	1	3	9		17	17		26
Rowan Mills	None													
Salisbury, First	None	1	14	1	4			2	18					18
Southside	None													
Spencer, First	J. B. Harrington, 307 Eleventh Street, Spencer 28159										14	14		14
Stallings Memorial	C. Reuben Hellard, 1931 Rosemont Street, Salisbury 28144	1	19	1	16	1	8	3	43		41	41		84
Trading Ford	W. H. Snider, Route 4, Salisbury 28144										35	35		35
Trinity	Harold D. Hughes, Route 6, Box 621, Salisbury 28144	1	9					1	9		17	17		26
West Corinth	None					1	16	1	16					16
West Park	Edgar Canupp, Chestnut Street, Kannapolis										14	14		14
Wyatts Grove	None													
Yadkin	Elon Dennis, Route 1, Linwood 27299										14	14		14
Franklin Mission	Harold E. Hamilton, Route 1, Box 643, Salisbury 28144	1	7			1	5	2	12		6	6		18
Oakland Heights Mission	Norman Hodges, Rowan Technical Institute, Salisbury 28144	1	7	1	6			2	13					13
	TOTALS	17	146	15	112	6	43	38	301		370	370		671

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TABLE F WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

CHURCHES	WMU PRESIDENTS AND ADDRESSES (Include ZIP Code)	Sunbeam Nursery Organizations	Sunbeam Nursery Enrolment	Beginner Sunbeam Band Organizations	Beginner Sunbeam Band Enrolment	Primary Sunbeam Band Organizations	Primary Sunbeam Band Enrolment	Junior GA Organizations	Junior GA Enrolment	Intermediate GA Organizations	Intermediate GA Enrolment	High School YWA Organizations	High School YWA Enrolment	Career Girls YWA Organizations	Career Girls YWA Enrolment	WMS Organizations	WMS Enrolment	Grand Total Organizations	Grand Total Enrolment
Calvary	Mrs. G. A. Watson, Jr., Rt. 8, Salisbury 28144			1	5	1	13	1	10	1	10			1	11	1	30	6	79
Canaan	Mrs. R. W. Bradshaw, Jr., Rowan Branch, Salisbury 28144			1	6			1	5	1	7					1	13	5	39
China Grove, First	Mrs. R. R. Hunter, Rt. 3, China Grove 28023							1	5	1	6					1		5	52
China Grove, South	Mrs. J. C. Dover, 215 N. Chapel St., Landis 28088															1	28	1	28
Community (S)	Mrs. Harold Arthurs, Rt. 11, Salisbury 28144															1	12	2	21
Cooleemee, First	Mrs. Frank Seders, P. O. Box 142, Cooleemee 27014			1	8	1	25	2	21	1	7					1	42	6	103
Corriher Heights	Mrs. Carline Crouch, Rt. 3, China Grove 28023							1	19							1	20	2	39
Dunn's Mountain	Mrs. S. A. Mayfield, Rt. 10, Box 211, Salisbury 28144	1	11	1	13	1	13	2	20	1	9					1	33	8	111
East Corinth	Mrs. Frances Bigby, Rt. 1, Gold Hill 28071															1	11	1	11
East Spencer, First	Mrs. W. L. Vincent, Box 414, E. Spencer 28039			1	9	1	6	1	6	1	6					1	27	5	54
Eastside	Mrs. Grey Morrison, Rt. 5, Box 345, Salisbury 28144															1	7	1	7
Emmanuel (S)	Mrs. Anna Harrelson, Rt. 10, Box 571, Salisbury 28144							1	4	1	4					1	26	5	60
Enon	Mrs. Ned J. Norris, 1824 Statesville Blvd., Salisbury 28144			1	6	1	8	1	5	1	5					1	45	5	69
Faith	Mrs. Floyd Crowell, Rt. 3, Salisbury 28144	1	14	1	16	1	15	2	16	1	12					2	69	9	155
Gold Hill	None																		
Grace	Mrs. Mary Fletcher, 504 E. 10th St., Kannapolis 28081							1	6	1	3					1	14	4	29
Landis	Mrs. Mary Helms, Rt. 2, Rockwell 28138							1	9	1	12	1	10			1	115	4	146
Milford Hills (S)	Mrs. Margaret Lindsay, 1259 E. Colonial Dr., Salis. 28144			1	13	1	24	1	15							1	27	4	79
Needmore	Mrs. Wade H. James, Rt. 1, Box 54, Woodleaf 27054			1	6	1	10	1	8	1	8					1	25	5	57
North Main Street	Mrs. A. L. Collins, 313 N. Boundary, Salisbury 28144			1	5	1	3	1	5	1	3	1	8			1	36	6	60
Oakdale (Sp.)	Mrs. W. L. Noles, Rt. 4, Box 756, Salisbury 28144			1	8	1	11	1	9	1	6					1	102	6	148
Pine Ridge	Mrs. Faye Patterson, Rt. 2, China Grove 28023			1	7	1	6	1	7	1	5					1	17	5	42
Providence (ES)	Mrs. Elaine Wall, Rt. 1, Box 198, Kannapolis 28081															1	17	1	17
Rockwell	Carolyn Jones, Rt. 1, Rockwell 28138							1	10	1	9					1	14	3	33
Rowan Mills	Mrs. Glenn Bradshaw, Rt. 2, Box 190, Salisbury 28144							2	17	1	6					1	12	5	48
Salisbury, First	Mrs. R. B. Motley, 1938 Rosemont St., Salisbury 28144	1	19	1	13	2	18	3	25	1	23	1	10			1	160	10	268
Southside	Mrs. Louise Simpson, Rt. 3, Box 44, Salisbury 28144							1	19	1	11					1	29	4	67
Spencer, First	Mrs. J. C. Scruggs, 198 N. Yadkin Ave., Spencer 28159									1	7					1	96	3	131
Stallings Memorial	Mrs. James C. Elium, Rt. 5, Box 59, Salisbury 28144	1	5	1	5	2	22	1	15	2	30					1	115	9	199
Trading Ford	Mrs. Banks W. Mullis, Rt. 4, Salisbury 28144			1	7	2	17	1	10	1	6	1	10			1	79	7	129
Trinity	Mrs. Marvin Dameron, 611 S. Caro. Ave., Spencer 28159					1	5	1	7	1	6	1	4			1	40	5	62
West Corinth	Mrs. R. W. Coone, Rt. 3, Mooresville 28115															1	14	3	37
West Park	Mrs. Z. V. Johnson, Rt. 3, Salisbury 28144															1	13	1	13
Wyatts Grove	None																		
Yadkin	Mrs. C. L. Wilkerson, Box 1100, Salisbury 28144			1	12	1	5	1	4							1	24	4	45
Franklin Mission	Mrs. Margie Shoaf, Rt. 9, Box 613, Salisbury 28144							1	8	1	3					1	11	4	35
Oakland Heights Mission	Mrs. Kenneth Payne, Route 3, Box 29, Salisbury 28144							1	12	1	4					1	12	4	32
	TOTALS	4	49	16	139	19	201	33	297	26	208	5	42	1	11	36	1,335	158	2,505

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TABLE G BUILDING—CHURCH LIBRARY

CHURCHES	CHURCH LIBRARIANS AND ADDRESSES (Include ZIP Code)	Cooperative Program Goal as % of Total Budget for Coming Yr.	Assoc. Missions Goal as % of Total Budget for Coming Year	Value of Pastor's Home	Value of Church Property (Incl. Pastor's Home)	Total Church Debt at End of Assoc. Year	Does Church Have or Observe? (X-indicates yes)								
							Vacation Bible School	State Paper in Budget	Church Council/ Cabinet	Library	Christian Life Committee	Student Night at Christmas-1967	Stewardship Committee	Mission VBS	Missions Comm.
Calvary	Mrs. Zineda Lowman, Rt. 8, Salisbury 28144	20	$400	12,000	130,000		x		x	x		x		x	x
Canaan	None			11,500	33,650	20,128	x								
China Grove, First	Mrs. Ross Owensby, Box 445, China Grove 28023	15	1	5.000	153.500	7,409	x		x	x		x	x		x
China Grove, South	None	6	1.6	15,000	100,000		x					x			
Community (S)	None	8	2	12,000	37,000	17,000	x								
Cooleemee, First	None	20	2	30,000	200,000	10,000	x	x	x						
Corriher Heights	None	2			40,000	833	x					x			
Dunn's Mountain	Jimmy McCoy, Route 10, Salisbury 28144	11	2	10,000	195,000		x		x	x		x		x	
East Corinth	None	7	4	10,000	25,000		x								
East Spencer, First	None	10	$110	16,000	37,500		x								
Eastside	None	10			26,000		x								
Emmanuel (S)	Mrs. C. L. Lentz, Rt. 10, Box 644, Salisbury 28144	13	2	23,000	111,000	4,715	x			x					
Enon	Mrs. Grover McPherson, Route 9, Salisbury 28144	12.3	1.4	20,000	120,000		x	x	x	x		x			
Faith	None	39	1.5	17,000	203,500	29,881	x		x	x		x			
Gold Hill	None			8,500	16,500										
Grace	None	10	2	32,000	156,800	13,544	x								
Landis	None		1	18,000	279,000		x								
Milford Hills (S)	Mrs. Ellene McIntyre, Route 9, Salisbury 28144	4	1	30,000	130,000	22,250	x		x	x		x	x		
Needmore	None	8	2		40,430		x		x						
North Main Street	None	14	$375	26,364	118,000	6,000	x	x							
Oakdale (Sp.)	Mrs. Herman Hood, 210 N. Long St., Salisbury 28144	10	1½	7,600	107,000		x			x		x			
Pine Ridge	None	8	4	4,000	50 000	5,941	x			x					
Providence (ES)	None				25,000	1,900	x								
Rockwell	None				61,000	783	x			x					
Rowan Mills	None	10	$120	25,000	80,000	26,754	x								
Salisbury, First	Mrs. Edward D. Poe, 309 Spring Dr., Salisbury 28144	10	1½	35,000	1,000,000	174,600	x		x	x		x	x		
Southside	None	$600	$100	26,000	130,000	29,000	x								
Spencer, First	None			25,000	300,000	8,259	x			x					
Stallings Memorial	Mrs. C. Reuben Hellard, 1931 Rosemont, Salisbury 28144	15	1.5	12,000	275,000		x		x	x		x			
Trading Ford	None	9	1¾	20,000	160,000		x			x					
Trinity	None	13	4	12,000	95,000	4,300	x	x	x						
West Corinth	Mrs. Roy McCreary, Route 3, Mooresville 28115	12	3	12,000	85.000	9,103	x	x	x	x					
West Park	None			17,000	58,000	75,000	x								
Wyatts Grove	None	⅓	½	11,600	50,600		x		x						
Yadkin	None	4	4	12,000	20,000	7,000	x		x			x			
Franklin Mission	Carl Kincaid, Route 1, Salisbury 28144	12	$104		60,000	16,633	x		x	x					
Oakland Heights Mission	Mrs. C. A. Beck, Box 465, East Spencer 28039	8	2		30,000	6,000	x	x	x	x	x	x	x		x
TOTALS				515,564	4,739,480	497,033									

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TABLE H TOTAL RECEIPTS, LOCAL EXPENDITURES, AND STEWARDSHIP INFORMATION

CHURCHES	TREASURERS AND ADDRESSES (Include ZIP Code)	Number of Tithers	Total Tithes, all Offerings, and Special Gifts other than money	All Other Receipts	Total Receipts	Pastor's Salary (actually spent)	Other Church Staff Salaries	Local Mission Expenditures	Money Spent on new Const. Past Year	Debt Retirement	All Other Expenditures	Total Local Expenditures
Calvary	Mrs. Frances McGarity, Bennett Heights, Salisbury 28144	79	26,070		26,070	5,980	2,415	375			6,443	15,213
Canaan	Lawrence Watts, P. O. Box 144, Faith 28041	22	8,871	780	9,651	2,600				1,944	1,653	6,197
China Grove, First	Sam May, Jr., Box 105, China Grove 28023	57	32,643		32,643	6,454	3,464			6,591	14,933	31,442
China Grove, South	Grant Freeze, Box 123, China Grove 28023	33	14,710		14,710	5,720	1,313			1,195	3,687	11,915
Community (S)	Roy Daughtery, Route 2, China Grove 28023	28	9,700		9,700	3,700	420		255	1,770	1,900	8,045
Cooleemee, First	Robert W. Jordan, Box 365, Cooleemee 27014	75	38,332		38,332	6,011	5,040			4,640	11,941	27,632
Corriher Heights	Mrs. Ruby Cook, Route 3, Box 151, China Grove 28023	12	5,232		5,232	2,080	520		552		1,813	4,965
Dunn's Mountain	S. A. Mayfield, Route 10, Box 211, Salisbury 28144		27,160	558	27,718	5,300	3,341				11,133	19,774
East Corinth	J. D. Goodman, Route 1, Box 171, Gold Hill 28071	25	8,877		8,877	3,300				1,700	2,913	7,913
East Spencer, First	J. W. Bean, Route 4, Box 485, Salisbury 28144		8,739		8,739	3,975	347		82	282	2,538	7,224
Eastside	Mrs. Larry Barnard, 1431 Hillsboro St., Salisbury 28144	11	4,309		4,309	2,120	188				553	2,861
Emmanuel (S)	Richard L. Eller, P. O. Box 594, Salisbury 28144		22,781		22,781	4,120				5,529	8,609	18 258
Enon	Miss Linda Swicegood, Route 6, Box 736, Salisbury 28144		35,429	861	36,290	7,320	3,232		2,873		16,648	30,073
Faith	J. C. Eagle, Route 3, Box 150, Salisbury 28144	111	37,487		37,487	5,894	1,825		3,000	7,163	8,073	25,955
Gold Hill	Harry L. Beaver, Route 2, Box 419-A, China Grove 28023	10	5,195		5,195	3,170	530				1,152	4,852
Grace	James Hubbard, 608 W. Eighth Street, Kannapolis 28081	45	12,074		12,074	3,020	2,206			2,880	3,755	11,861
Landis	Herman Rutledge, Route 2, Box 107-F, Kannapolis 28081	190	75,104		75,104	5,185	9,734	3,868	20,177		17,543	56,507
Milford Hills (S)	James B. Edwards, 137 Milford Drive, Salisbury 28144	45	32,939	1,500	34,439	6,125	2,554		7,315	4,603	11,743	32 340
Needmore	J. L. Hensley, Route 1, Box 63, Woodleaf 27054	20	12,853		12,853	4,770	220				6,340	11,330
North Main Street	J. H. Brower, 202 E. 14th Street, Salisbury 28144		23,416		23,416	5,222		2,340		6,000	5,588	19,150
Oakdale (Sp.)	J. C. Coppley, 115 Herman Street, Spencer 28159	100	33,353		33,353	7,020	3,378				15,618	26,016
Pine Ridge	Norman Valentine, 102 W. 18th Street, Kannapolis 28081	46	13,170		13,170	4,097	663		1,412	1,164	1,866	9,202
Providence (ES)	Miss Nora Poteat, P. O. Box 427, E. Spencer 28039		3,047		3,047	1,300				995	613	2,908
Rockwell	Wentworth Beck, Box 172, Faith 28041		15,025	520	15,545	5,200	658		3,100	2,317	6,335	17,610
Rowan Mills	Arnold Beck, 1227 S. Bell St., Salisbury 28144		20,613		20,613	4,940	880		26,754	8,246	7,014	47,834
Salisbury, First	John Burdette, 400 D. Avenue, Salisbury 28144	154	125,214		125,214	6,750	20,910			41,376	42,940	111,976
Southside	Charles R. Evans, Route 2, Salisbury 28144	65	26,400		26,400	6,060	1,200		7,500	4,800	5,908	25.468
Spencer, First	A. A. Lomax, Fifth Street Ext., Spencer 28159		36,120		36,120	7,391	4,970	76		7,063	8,705	28 205
Stallings Memorial	Charles E. Summers, 901 Richard Street, Salisbury 28144	200	70,098		70,098	8,515	6,160		3,000	8,420	23,264	49,359
Trading Ford	Elon F. Massey, Route 4, Box 711, Salisbury 28144	150	37,948		37,948	7,280	3,321	900		3,761	15,785	31,047
Trinity	Mrs. Ray Vess, Route 7, Box 730, Salisbury 28144	30	15,340		15,340	5,200	1,040			552	5,834	12,626
West Corinth	Walter E. Pennell, Route 3, China Grove 28023	52	26,943		26,943	5,745			5,971	9,103	4,272	25,091
West Park	Jack B. Johnson, P. O. Box 123, Granite Quarry 28072	41	16,577		16,577	5,200	875		2,087	2,900	6,925	17,987
Wyatts Grove	Hubert File, Route 5, Box 511, Salisbury 28144	17	4,741		4,741	2,060			225		242	2 527
Yadkin	C. L. Wilkerson, Box 1100, Salisbury 28144	20	8,844		8,844	4,560	340		1,202		2,838	8,940
Franklin Mission	Mrs. Thelma Morgan, Route 1, Box 677, Salisbury 28144	65	15,196		15,196	4,045	418			3,038	4,015	11,516
Oakland Heights Mission	Mrs. James Thompson, 1807 N. Long Street, E. Spencer 28039	12	5,878		5,878	2,507	180			1,874	850	5,411
	TOTALS	1,715	916,428	4,219	920,647	17,993	682,342	7,559	85,505	139,906	291,982	787,230

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TABLE I MISSION EXPENDITURES

CHURCHES	CLERKS OF CHURCHES AND ADDRESSES (Include ZIP Code)	Cooperative Program	Associational Missions Program	Designated: State Missions	Designated: SBC Home Missions	Designated: SBC Foreign Missions	Designated: Christian Edu. (Schools, etc.)	Designated: Children's Homes (cash plus goods)	Designated: Hospitals	Designated: Homes For the Aged	Designated: All Other (Bible Society, Temperance League, etc.)	Total Mission Expenditures
Calvary	Frank Sides, Route 8, Salisbury 28144	4,510	400	175	246	2,452	36	225	182	114	110	8,450
Canaan	J. D. Hogsed, Route 3, Box 910, Salisbury 28144			23	177	189			21			410
China Grove, First	Mrs. L. H. Winecoff, Rt. 3, Box 70-E, China Grove 28023	3,616	506	55		735			82	109		5,103
China Grove, South	Grant Freeze, P. O. Box 123, China Grove 28023	720	200	26	64	179		44	13	8	25	1,279
Community (S)	Mrs. George Denham, Jr., 111 7th St., Spencer 28159	738	164					17	17			936
Cooleemee, First	Mrs. Dave A. Cover, P. O. Box 36, Cooleemee 27014	7,390	739	30	840	1,335		100	116		150	10,700
Corriher Heights	Mrs. Marlene Taylor, Mills Street, Landis 28088		50	22				13	20			105
Dunn's Mountain	Don Livengood, Rt. 10, Box 225, Salisbury 28144	2,454	500	255	284	1,426	269	337	247	234	301	6,307
East Corinth	Mrs. Irene A. Morgan, Route 1, Box 154, Gold Hill 28071	570	240	8	13	30		10	50			921
East Spencer, First	Mrs. Richard C. Gobble, Route 8, Box 994, Salisbury 28144	668	110	50	73	140	70	25	40			1,176
Eastside	Mrs. Joseph Goodman, Gardner Street, Faith 28041	330	84	14	25	135	7	104	13	10		722
Emmanuel (S)	Mrs. Lillie Messick, 525-A Park Ave., Salisbury 28144	2,522	417	53	377	818	16	46	70	40	164	4,523
Enon	Mrs. Margaret Kirby, Route 9, Box 248, Salisbury 28144	3,300	400	11	300	1,182		600	108		100	6,001
Faith	W. J. Ritchie, Box 82, Faith 28041	8,735	540	65	289	1,041			161		418	11,249
Gold Hill	Wayne Taylor, P. O. Box 143, Gold Hill 28071		5			7		8	11		5	36
Grace	Mrs. Becky Walker, Rt. 3, Box 112-A, Kannapolis 28081		10	14	44	144		24	30	25		291
Landis	Dorland M. Abernathy, 718 N. Chapel St., Landis 28088		480			3,080	300	1,990		50	240	6,140
Milford Hills (S)	Wayne Goode, 1714 Bellvue, Salisbury 28144	1,010	200	27	261	626	35		46	41	123	2,369
Needmore	Miss Gladys Safriet, Rt. 1, Box 64, Woodleaf 27054	588	198		71	185	250	49	16			1,357
North Main Street	Mrs. W. R. Davis, 305 N. Milford Dr., Salisbury 28144	2,270	375	100	150	367	80	157	99	50	76	3,724
Oakdale (Sp.)	Miss Frances Easter, 505 N. Yadkin Ave., Spencer 28159	3,146	600	155	236	1,637	23	1,037	104	56	307	7,301
Pine Ridge	Mrs. Bobby Scercy, Route 2, China Grove 28023	1,054	527	38	152	251		36	21	21		2,100
Providence (ES)	Pamela Ponds, Railroad Ave., E. Spencer 28039		20	45	14	10		10	6			105
Rockwell	Mrs. Sebe Cauble, Rt. 1, Box 64, Gold Hill 28071	600	120	25	126	100	150	126	108	25		1,380
Rowan Mills	Mrs. Hayden Miller, Rt. 11, Box 570, Salisbury 28144	1,572	100		29	228		150	150	75		2,304
Salisbury, First	Mrs. S. S. Dibrell, 931 Maple Ave., Salisbury 28144	4,056	1,500	661	807	2,601	5	408	230	118	923	11,309
Southside	Jack E. Howell, Rt. 7, Box 766, Salisbury 28144	600	100		396	337		63	100			1,596
Spencer, First	Mrs. J. C. Scruggs, 198 N. Yadkin Ave., Spencer 28159	5,700	675	124	266	631		111	49	100		7,656
Stallings Memorial	James C. Elium, Route 5, Box 69, Salisbury 28144	8,153	1,500	350	2,187	1,720	30	118	279		128	14,465
Trading Ford	Elon F. Massey, Rt. 4, Box 711, Salisbury 28144	2,400	550		618	1,200			200	100	33	5,101
Trinity	Mrs. Lonnie Goodman, 608 Carolina Blvd., Salisbury 28144	1,793	300	46	126	217		180	52			2,714
West Corinth	Mrs. Walter E. Pennell, Route 3, China Grove 28023	2,195	549	27	47	203	35	29	36	23		3,144
West Park	Mrs. Lee Allman, Rt. 5, Box 686, Salisbury 28144								50			50
Wyatts Grove	Mrs. Hubert File, Rt. 5, Box 511, Salisbury 28144	20	70	20	20	20		34	24			208
Yadkin	Tommy Lanning, Box 1100, Salisbury 28144	343	342		71	305		50	84		300	1,495
Franklin Mission	Mrs. Margie Shoaf, Rt. 9, Box 613, Salisbury 28144	1,700	106	54	100	276		50	40	1		2,327
Oakland Heights Mission	Mrs. Louise Newsome, Rt. 4, Box 39, Salisbury 28144	411	176	13	55	170	15	15	57	15		927
	TOTALS	73,164	12,853	2,486	8,464	23,977	1,321	6,166	2,932	1,215	3,403	135,981

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TABLE J SPECIAL INFORMATION

CHURCHES	CHAIRMEN OF DEACONS AND ADDRESSES (Include ZIP Code)	Church participates in Annuity Board plan for		Is Pastor in Social Security Program	Your pastor and paid employment apart from church			Number Ordained for Gospel Ministry During Year	Number Licensed for Gospel Ministry During Year	Pastor's Annual Salary	Frequency of church council meetings		
		Pastor	Other Staff Member		Full-Time Employment Elsewhere	Part-Time Employment Elsewhere	Has None Elsewhere				Do Not Have Council	Monthly	Quarterly
Calvary	Melvin Harmon, Route 8, Salisbury 28144	x		Yes			x			5,980			x
Canaan	J. B. Hinson, Rt. 11, Box 842, Salisbury 28144			Yes	x					2,600	x		
China Grove, First	Winfry Whicker, P. O. Box 598, China Grove 28023	x		Yes			x			6,454		x	
China Grove, South	William C. Abernathy, Rt. 11, Box 255, Salisbury 28144	x		Yes			x			5,980	x		
Community (S)	Roy Daugherty, Route 2, China Grove 28023			Yes			x			4,420	x		
Cooleemee, First	E. C. Tatum, Jr., Route 4, Mocksville 27028	x		Yes			x			6,200			x
Corriher Heights	Ernest Haynes, Route 3, China Grove 28023			Yes	x					2,000	x		
Dunn's Mountain	Preston Elium, Route 10, Salisbury 28144	x		No			x			5,200			x
East Corinth	Coy L. Morgan, 1011 Rosemary Ave., Kannapolis 28081			Yes			x			4,160	x		
East Spencer, First	. W. Bean, Rt. 4, Box 485, Salisbury 28144	x		Yes			x			3,975	x		
Eastside	Walter Morrison, Rt. 5, Box 425, Salisbury 28144	x		No	x					2,120	x		
Emmanuel (S)	Wayne Harrelson, Rt. 10, Box 571, Salisbury 28144	x					x	1		6,500			x
Enon	Ned J. Norris, 1824 Statesville Blvd., Salisbury 28144	x					x			6,500			x
Faith	Howard Horton, Route 2, Box 67, Rockwell 28138			No			x			5,894			x
Gold Hill	Wayne Taylor, P. O. Box 143, Gold Hill 28071			No					1	3,640	x		
Grace	Richard Harrington, Rt. 1, Box 305, Kannapolis 28081	x		Yes			x			5,200	x		
Landis	C. C. Fain, Route 2, China Grove 28023			Yes			x			7,245	x		
Milford Hills (S)	Don Jones, 1323 Larchmont Road, Salisbury 28144	x		Yes			x			6,800			
Needmore	Brady Seamon, P. O. Box 72, Cleveland 27013	x		No			x			4,770		x	
North Main Street	. H. Brower, 202 E. 13th Street, Salisbury 28144	x					x			5,222	x		
Oakdale (Sp.)	None	x		Yes			x			7,020	x		
Pine Ridge	John Luther, 44 Rose Ave., China Grove 28023	x		Yes			x		1	5,200	x		
Providence (ES)	None				x			1		1,300		x	
Rockwell	None			No			x			5,200			
Rowan Mills	George Bradshaw, Rowan Mills, Salisbury 28144	x					x			5,200	x		
Salisbury, First	E. S. Smoot, 830 Maple Ave., Salisbury 28144	x		Yes			x	1		9,000		x	
Southside	ames Black, Rt. 3, Box 65, Salisbury 28144	x					x			6,060	x		
Spencer, First	Walter Baker, 411 Spencer Ave., Spencer 28159	x		Yes			x			7,391	x		
Stallings Memorial	Charles E. Summers, 901 Richard St., Salisbury 28144	x					x			8 515			
Trading Ford	A. T. Koontz, Route 4, Salisbury 28144	x	2	Yes			x			7,800		x	
Trinity	O. Ray Vess, Rt. 7, Box 730, Salisbury 28144	x		Yes			x			5,200			x
West Corinth	L. M. Honeycutt, Rt. 3, China Grove 28023									5,745			
West Park	Jack B. Johnson, P. O. Box 123, Granite Guarry 28072			No					2	5,200		x	
Wyatts Grove	W. M. Morgan, Rt. 1, Box 290, Gold Hill 28071			Yes			x			4,160		x	
Yadkin	Tommy Lanning, Box 1100, Salisbury 28144						x			4,560			
Franklin Mission	Roy Parchment, Route 1, Salisbury 28144			No			x			4,045		x	
Oakland Heights Mission	None	x		Yes			x			2,600		x	
TOTALS								3	4	195,136			

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Year	Where Held	Preacher	Moderator	Clerk
1927	Salisbury, First	R. N. Huneycutt	C. A. Rhyne	Percy Bloxam
1928	Stallings Memorial	M. W. Gordon	C. A. Rhyne	Percy Bloxam
1929	China Grove, First	J. H. Harris	G. W. Choate	Percy Bloxam
1930	North Main Street	E. L. Bradley	G. W. Choate	R. S. Lennon
1931	Enon	R. O. Brinkley	G. W. Choate	C. W. Crowell
1932	Trading Ford	F. W. Frye	G. W. Choate	C. W. Crowell
1933	North Kannapolis	Arch C. Cree	G. W. Choate	C. W. Crowell
1934	Rockwell	C. A. Rhyne	G. W. Choate	A. L. Jarrell
1935	Oakdale	W. H. James	C. A. Rhyne	A. L. Jarrell
1936	Wyatt's Grove	C. L. Fisher	C. A. Rhyne	A. L. Jarrell
1937	Calvary	D. H. Lowder	C. A. Rhyne	A. L. Jarrell
1938	East Spencer	H. T. Davis	C. A. Rhyne	A. L. Jarrell
1939	Enon	A. L. Campbell	C. A. Rhyne	A. L. Jarrell
1940	West Corinth	L. R. Evans	C. A. Rhyne	A. L. Jarrell
1941	Faith	O. W. Funderburk	R. O. Brinkley	A. L. Jarrell
1942	Salisbury, First	D. L. Woodward	R. O. Brinkley	A. L. Jarrell
1943	Landis	R. W. Harrington	C. A. Rhyne	A. L. Jarrell
1944	North Main Street	Smoot Baker	C. A. Rhyne	A. L. Jarrell
1945	Trading Ford and Salisbury, First	R. A. Ellis	C. A. Rhyne	A. L. Jarrell
1946	Faith and Calvary	E. L. Melton	T. W. Bray	R. A. Ellis
1947	Enon and East Corinth	Clay R. Barnes	R. O. Brinkley	R. A. Ellis
1948	West Corinth and Phaniels	J. C. Hill	R. O. Brinkley	R. A. Ellis
1949	Salisbury, First and Wyatt's Grove	F. P. Blankenship	Clay R. Barnes	R. A. Ellis
1950	Landis and Dunn's Mountain	R. C. Cline	Clay R. Barnes	O. D. Moore
1951	Spencer, First and Salisbury, First and Rockwell	J. C. Gwaltney	N. C. Teague	O. D. Moore
1952	Stallings Memorial and South China Grove	E. H. Potts	N. C. Teague	O. D. Moore
1953	Oakdale and Enon	R. N. Huneycutt	R. O. Brinkley	O. D. Moore
1954	Trading Ford and Grace	O. D. Moore	R. N. Huneycutt	James L. McCoy
1955	Calvary and Phaniels	R. L. Deneen	R. N. Huneycutt	James L. McCoy
1956	Stallings and China Grove, First	J. W. Allen	E. H. Potts	James L. McCoy
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The Annual Sermon Will Be Preached By

Rev. Ralph C. Hammett

Rev. Ronald W. McSwain, Alternate

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CONSTITUTION

Adopted October 25, 1961

CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS

I. NAME

This body shall be known as the Rowan Baptist Association.

II. OBJECT

The object of this Association shall be to devise and promote measures for increasing the harmony and spiritual power of the churches within our bounds, to recommend plans for advancing the work of our Lord throughout the earth, and to cooperate with our Baptist State Convention and our Southern Baptist Convention in spiritual advance in such areas as Sunday School, Training Union, Woman's Missionary Union, Men's Brotherhood and Church Music with the understanding that cooperation with the state and Southern Conventions is purely voluntary.

III. MEMBERSHIP

This body shall be composed of the ordained Baptist Ministers who are pastors of cooperating churches, our Associational Missionary, and messengers chosen and certified by the churches. Each church shall be entitled to two messengers for the first fifty members or any part thereof, and one messenger for each fifty above that number, provided no church shall be entitled to more than ten messengers. It shall be the duty of the churches to correspond annually with the Association by letter and messengers, and give in not only their statistical information but also facts concerning the general welfare and to send contributions to pay the expenses of the Association. The Clerk shall furnish the churches with two printed forms for their annual report, these to be mailed at least six weeks before the annual session of the Association, and the churches are requested to have the letters in the hands of the Clerk not less than two weeks before the meeting of the Association.

IV. OFFICERS

The officers of the Association shall be Moderator, Associate Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Historian, Sunday School Superintendent, Training Union Director, Brotherhood President, W. M. U. President and Music Director. These shall be elected annually for a term of one year with the understanding that the Moderator will automatically retire after having served two complete terms. The

term of office shall begin at the conclusion of the annual meeting of the Association and continue until the close of the next session or until their successors are elected.

V. TRUSTEES

In addition to the above named officers, the Association shall elect three trustees each year who shall hold in trust all property and effects of the Association, take care of and keep the same in repair, accept gifts for the Association and perform all other duties which the Association may declare, according to the laws of the State of North Carolina.

VI. MEETINGS

The Association will meet annually on the Tuesday and Wednesday after the fourth Sunday in October, and can be called into extra session if necessary by a majority vote of the Executive-Promotion Committee. All such sessions shall be conducted as prescribed in Kerfoot's "Parliamentary Law".

VII. POWERS AND PREROGATIVES

The Association shall have no power whatever to infringe upon the rights or usefulness of the churches. It may advise or recommend measures of usefulness for their adoption and guidance, but cannot bind them in any way. The churches constituting the Association shall each retain complete autonomy under Christ as supreme Head, Lawgiver, Governor and Lord over His churches, and unite only that they may more successfully promote the cause of Christ throughout the world. In any case any conflict of interpretation shall arise as between this section and any other section of this constitution the interpretation of this section shall have precedence over the other.

VIII. COOPERATING CHURCHES

Any group of baptized believers in Christ, organized into a church, earnestly seeking to cooperate with our Baptist work in the Rowan Association, The Baptist State Convention, and the Southern Baptist Convention, having been received into the fellowship of this association shall be considered a cooperating church.

IX. COMMITTEES

1. **Executive-Promotion Committee.** The Executive-Promotion Committee shall be composed of the duly elected officers of the

Association, the Pastors of all the churches within the Association and one Representative from each cooperating church. The duties of this committee shall be to carry out the policies and will of the Association in the interim between its annual sessions. The Committee shall not take any action contrary to the will of the Association or which would initiate any new policies of procedures. In an adequate emergency this committee may take such action as may be deemed necessary to conditions arising after the annual meeting of the Association. This committee shall meet quarterly, the time and place to be decided upon by the committee. The Moderator shall serve as chairman of this committee. This committee shall make a full report of its activities to the Association at its annual session.

2. **Other Committees.** The Association may constitute, instruct and discharge committees that may be necessary for the proper conduct of its affairs and promotion of its activities. These committees and a copy of their instructions shall be made a part of the minutes of the association each year.

X. AMENDMENTS

Any section of this constitution may be amended at any regular session of the Association by a two-thirds vote of the messengers present, provided the amendment is presented to the Association on the first day and voted on and passed on favorably the second day, or that notice shall be given during the meeting in one year and voted upon favorably the following year.

BY-LAWS

1. The Moderator shall be in complete charge of all meetings of the Association or the Executive-Promotion Committee.

2. In the conduct of business Kerfoot's "Parliamentary Law" shall be followed.

3. These By-Laws may be amended at any time by majority vote of the Association.

By-Laws

COMMITTEES OF THE ASSOCIATION

1. **Associational Missions Committee.** This committee shall consist of seven members. Its duties shall be to assist our Associational Missionary in every way possible, to seek out places where Baptist work is needed, and to work with our Associational Missionary or a sponsoring church in establishing such work. The chairman of this committee shall make a report at the annual meeting of our Association on the work of our Missionary for the preceding twelve months period. In the event that the Association should find itself without a Missionary, this committee shall, with the assistance of the Executive-Promotion Committee, endeavor to locate a suitable person for the office. When it seems that such person has been found the committee shall bring its report to the Executive-Promotion Committee for its approval or rejection.

2. **Committee on Reception of New Churches.** A committee of 3 members, elected by the Association shall receive and study petitions from churches desiring fellowship in this association and make recommendations to the association regarding the disposition of such petitions. These petitions should be presented to the committee at least two weeks prior to the annual meeting of the association.

3. **Finance Committee.** This committee shall keep itself informed concerning the financial needs of the Association. It shall see to it that all expenditures are kept within the budget, and supervise all financial matters. Along with its annual report to the Association it shall bring a proposed budget based upon the needs of the associational program, and the ability of the churches to support this program. This proposed budget shall be presented to the Executive-Promotion Committee at the July meeting for adoption and distributed to the churches immediately thereafter.

4. **Audio-Visual Aids Committee.** The Associational Missionary, together with four other members, shall constitute this committee, with the Missionary serving as chairman. This committee shall have charge of all visual aid equipment of the Association and keep same in good repair. It shall recommend to the Executive-Promotion Committee additional purchases of this equipment when such is to the best interest of the Association, and if the cost of such purchase is above the amount set aside in the budget for this purpose. The equipment shall be made available for use by the churches in the promotion of the entire Associational program. When this equipment is borrowed and put to use by any

church or organization of the association it is to be returned promptly to the office of the Missionary. Those who use this equipment shall be requested to handle same with care and to be responsible for any damage other than normal wear.

5. **Program Committee.** This committee shall be composed of the Moderator and four members at large to be appointed by the Moderator. The duties of the committee shall be to plan the programs of the annual Association.

6. **Committee on Committees.** This committee shall be appointed by the Moderator to serve for a period of one year and shall be composed of five members whose duties shall be to recommend the appointment of the standing committees and to name any other committees called for by the Association, such as, Associational Missions, Associational Memberhip, Obituary Committee, Committee on Public Morals and Civic Righteousness, Finance Committee, Radio and Television Committee, Committee on Time, Place and Preacher, Committee on Resolutions, Nominating Committee, Music Committee, and the representatives of the various boards and institutions supported by the North Carolina Baptist Convention.

7. **Obituary Committee.** The Obituary Committee shall conduct a brief service at the annual meeting of our Association in memory of those members from the various churches who have been called to their heavenly home.

8. **Committee on Public Morals and Civic Righteousness.** The duties of this committee shall be to inform themselves as to the moral conditions and practices in our midst, to study these conditions, to use their influence to promote high ethical standards of life and conduct on the part of our people, and to give a report of their work at the annual meeting of the Association.

9. **Radio and Television Committee.** It shall be the duty of this Committee to give encouragement to the local radio and television stations in the use they are now making of their facilities in broadcasting morning devotions, the broadcast and telecast of the programs of the Radio-Television Commission of Southern Baptists, and other desirable programs of a religious nature. This committee shall further seek to enlist the cooperation of these stations when special efforts are underway on an Associational-wide basis to the end that our Baptist work might be duly publicized and brought to the attention of the people of our country. A report of this committee's work shall be given at the annual Associational meeting.

10. **Committee on Time, Place, and Preacher.** This committee

shall recommend the meeting place for our annual Association, state the time, and recommend a minister and an alternate for the annual sermon. This shall be reported to the Association in annual session.

11. **Committee on Resolutions.** It shall be the duty of this committee to draw up suitable resolutions relating to the hospitality of the host church or churches, the service rendered by the visiting speakers, the work of the Associational Officers, and other pertinent matters that should be included in this committee's report.

12. **The Nominating Committee.** It shall be the duty of this committee to recommend to the Annual Session of the Association prospective officers for the coming year as provided for under Section IV of the Constitution, including Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Associate Clerk and Statistician, Treasurer, Chorister, and Pianist. The heads of organizations (Sunday School, Brotherhood, Training Union, Music, and Woman's Missionary Union) shall be recommended for election at the April meeting of the Executive-Promotion Committee. Other organizational leadership shall be nominated in cooperation with the organiaztional heads and recommended, for election, to the July meeting of the Executive-Promotion Committee. W.M.U. Officers will be suggested to the Nominating Committee in keeping with the W.M.U. By-Laws.

13. **Music Committee.** This committee shall offer suggestions and guidance in the selection of the type of music that is desirable in worship and in our varied Associational and church activities. It shall plan, at such times as seem opportune, for a week of instruction in church music, and also seek as it has opportunity, to encourage all of our people to manifest a greater interest in this vital phase of our Lord's work.

14. **Camp Development Committee.** This committee shall have general supervision of the Associational camp which is located in the eastern part of Rowan County. It shall inform our people about the scheduled activities and opportunities offered at the camp and also of the rules and regulations that are to govern its use. The above committee shall promote the use of this camp to the end that it may serve a high and worthwhile purpose as a center for Christian activities by all departments of the Associational program. Only such activities as tend toward the development of Christian character shall be encouraged by the committee.

15. **Historical Committee.** This committee shall be composed of three members elected by the Association. The duties of this committee shall be to adequately preserve the records of the activity within the Association that may be of interest to further generations.

16. **Evangelism Committee.** This committee shall be composed of five members elected by the Association and shall head the Association in a program of New Testament Evangelism in cooperation with the North Carolina Baptist Convention's Department of Evangelism.

17. **Committee to Study the Constitution and By-Laws.** A committee of three members, elected by the Association shall study the Constitution and By-Laws and make recommendations for changes as needed.

18. All of our Churches in the Association are requested to assist the host church(s) in entertaining the Association for the Annual Session.

19. The Moderator and the Associational Missionary be ex-officio members of all committees and be notified of all meetings held by each committee.

Proceedings

RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS
OF THE
FORTY-SECOND ANNUAL SESSION
OF THE
ROWAN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

THEME:

"Living The Spirit Of Christ In Belief And Relevance"

SCRIPTURE — 2 TIMOTHY 3:16

TUESDAY

EVENING SESSION

1. The Forty-second Annual Session of the Rowan Baptist Association opened at the Oakdale Baptist Church, Spencer, at 7 P.M. Graham Carlton, Moderator, presiding. Elmer Phipps, Associational Song Leader, led the group in singing "Tell Me The Story Of Jesus", with Mrs. J. Earle Blalock at the piano, and Mrs. William Wheeler at the organ. Rev. Randolph Carnes, Pastor of the Pine Ridge Baptist Church, led the worship period.

2. James L. McCoy, Associational Clerk, moved that the Messengers now registered, in addition to those who may register, constitute the enrollment of Messengers of the Rowan Baptist Association. Motion carried. Rev. Leroy Cooper, Chairman of the Program Committee, pointed out two errors in the printed program, and moved that the printed program as corrected, with whatever further changes may be necessary, constitute the order of business of the Forty-second Annual Session of the Rowan Baptist Association. Rev. H. M. Hocutt, Host Pastor, was recognized and extended words of welcome to the group. The Moderator recognized Mrs. Baxter Jordan, interpreter for two of her silent friends who were visiting. Rev. Odell Walton, retired pastor, from Churchland, N. C., was recognized as a visitor. Rev. John E. Carter, Associational Missionary, was recognized and welcomed the new pastors in the Rowan Association, and the following were present: Bobby Seagroves, China Grove First, Charles Cook, Wyatts Grove, D. L. Bame, Gold Hill, Cecil Herrin, Faith, W. H. Wilkins, Eastside, Randolph Carnes, Pine Ridge, John H. Simpson, Oakland Heights Mission, James Eagle, Providence.

3. Charles Summers, Associational Treasurer, was recognized

and gave the Treasurer's report for the Fiscal Year ended September 30, 1969. Motion carried for adoption. (Note: this report included elsewhere in the annual minutes.)

4. Charles N. Collins, Director of Baptist Men, was recognized and brought remarks on the printed Brotherhood Report. Motion carried for approval of report.

5. Mrs. J. C. Scruggs, Associational W.M.U. Director, brought the W.M.U. Report which was adopted.

6. Mrs. J. Earle Blalock, Associational Music Director, gave a report on Music. Mrs. Blalock emphasized the importance of music in our worship. The Report was approved.

7. Rev. Bobby Seagroves, Associational Baptist Training Union Director, gave a report on the Baptist Training Union, and made announcement of "M" night and the Associational Tournaments. Motion carried for approval of the report.

8. Rev. Leroy Cooper, Associational Sunday School Superintendent, was recognized and moved for adoption of the printed Sunday School Report, stating that in order to conserve time, he would not read the report. Motion carried.

9. Rev. Joe Richards, Pastor of the Emmanuel Baptist Church, was recognized and made remarks regarding the Wednesday session at the Emmanuel Church. Rev. Richards announced cancellation of the R. A. Conclave scheduled to meet at the Trading Ford Baptist Church in November, and urged that plans be made for a father-son banquet in the local churches.

10. Rev. Luther Bullard, Chairman of the Committee on Committees, brought the following recommendations from the Committee: (1) That the wording of "Representatives and Members of Various Boards" be changed to read "Representatives of Various Institutions and Agencies." (2) That the Rowan Cooperative Christian Ministry and Dr. J. T. Holland as Representative be added to the list of Representatives of Various Institutions and Agencies. These recommendations are brought for consideration at this time and vote to be taken at the Wednesday Session on tomorrow in keeping with articles of the Constitution.

11. Rev. John E. Carter, Associational Missionary, was recognized and presented Mr. Joe Stroud of the Music Department, Baptist State Convention, Raleigh, N. C., who spoke regarding the changes to be made in 1970. In enumerating various changes that have been made over the past years, Mr. Stroud stated that even the church must change — to find better ways to win people to Jesus Christ. He concluded by saying that form and

method must change, but not the message. Mr. Elmer Phipps, Associational Song Leader, sang effectively "How Great Thou Art." Mr. Phipps led the group in singing the chorus.

12. Rev. Leroy Cooper presented Rev. Gerald Primm, Pastor of the Eller Memorial Baptist Church, Greensboro, N. C., who brought a stirring message on the subject of "Living The Spirit of Christ In Trust And Relevance." The Moderator called attention to the Wednesday Session to be held at the Emmanuel Baptist Church, Salisbury, and dismissed with prayer. There were 131 Messengers registered and 41 visitors for a total of 172 registered as of this time.

WEDNESDAY MORNING

EMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH

603 East Cemetery Street, Salisbury

9 A.M.

13. The Wednesday morning session was opened with the group singing "Praise Him, Praise Him," led by Mr. Elmer Phipps. Rev. Cecil Herrin, Pastor of the Faith Baptist Church, conducted the worship period, using portions of scripture from the books of James and 1 John.

14. James L. McCoy, Associational Clerk, gave the Executive-Promotion Committee report and Digest of Church Letters. The report was approved and the Digest accepted as information.

15. Rev. John E. Carter, Associational Missionary, was recognized and spoke on Associational Missions, reading from the scriptures as recorded in Acts 8:14. Rev. Carter stated that some study of the associational work should be made to determine the purpose and possible changes. Rev. Carter stated that we must go from the walls of the church out to where the people are.

16. Rev. Leroy Cooper presented Rev. Herbert Neely, Foreign Missionary to Southern Rhodesia, who brought a dynamic missionary message using as a basis the scripture as recorded in Luke 24:44-49. Rev. Neely stated that the world wants our first hand knowledge of God — what does he mean to us personally. Mr. Elmer Phipps led the group in singing "To God Be The Glory." Rev. Joe Richards, host pastor, was recognized and gave instructions regarding the facilities of the host church.

17. Rev. Marvin Smith was recognized and gave a report of the Place and Preacher Committee. Motion for adoption carried.

18. Mr. Ronald Queen was recognized and brought a report from the Nominating Committee which was approved by the group.

19. Rev. Luther Bullard made a report from the Committee on Committees which included two recommendations. (Note: these recommendations were read in the previous night's session.) Motion carried for adoption of recommendations. Motion also carried for approval of report.

20. Mrs. Fant Kelly was recognized and made the report of the Resolutions Committee. This report was approved.

21. The Moderator gave a summary of the report from the Missions Committee, and this report was approved.

22. Mr. Ken Bobo was recognized and spoke on "Our People Shaping Our World," discussing the opportunities in the 70's for our churches.

23. Rev. Ronald McSwain was recognized and gave information regarding changes in the Vacation Bible School material, stating that there would be a V.B.S. clinic in March 1970 and a second one in May 1970. Rev. McSwain recognized Dr. L. H. Hollingsworth, Wake Forest University, who was visiting. Rev. McSwain presented Dr. Fred Bentley, President of Mars Hill College, Mars Hill, N. C., who brought a message on Christian Higher Education.

24. The Moderator introduced Chaplain Wesley Britt of the Baptist Hospital, Winston-Salem, N. C., who brought information from the hospital.

25. Bro. Eugene White, Editor of Charity & Children, Thomasville, N. C., was introduced and discussed some services offered by the Baptist Children's Homes of North Carolina.

26. Rev. Bobby Seagroves was recognized and conducted the In Memorium period for Mrs. J. M. Gupton who was confined to the hospital. Rev. Seagroves read a portion of scriptures as recorded in Revelation 21. The names of the Beloved Dead were read as Mrs. Brown Ketner played background music on the piano. Mr. Elmer Phipps sang "Satisfied With Jesus."

27. The Moderator presented Dr. John T. Holland who requested that Rev. Ralph Hammett, Alternate Speaker, read the scripture for the Annual Sermon. Rev. Hammett read Mark

8:31-34 and led in prayer. Dr. Holland expressed gratitude for the privilege of serving as Moderator for the coming year. The speaker's subject was "A Church On The Move." Dr. Holland stated that there is a difference between a church on the move and a church in motion, and in his opinion there are three roads for the church: (1) The Damascus Road — confrontation with Christ; (2) The Jericho Road — area of human need; and (3) The Calvary Road — road of sacrifice.

28. Bro. Graham Carlton expressed his appreciation for the privilege of serving as Moderator of the Association for the past two years, and turned the gavel over to Dr. John T. Holland, incoming Moderator. Rev. Victor Cole led in a prayer of thanksgiving, bringing the Forty-second Annual Session of the Rowan Baptist Association to a close. There were 174 Messengers and 50 Visitors registered at this time for a total of 224.

ANNUAL MEETING OF ROWAN BAPTIST W. M. U. ASSOCIATION

The Rowan Woman's Missionary Union met April 3, 1969, for its forty-first session, with the First Baptist Church of China Grove as host. The theme for the meeting was "Christ The Only Hope." Mrs. J. C. Scruggs, Associational Director, called the session to order at 7:00 P.M. The opening hymn was "Christ For the Whole Wide World" with Miss Brenda Bost of Stallings Memorial Church, organist. Mrs. J. D. Whisnant, Associational Mission Action Chairman, used the thought from Acts 4:12, ". . . For there is none other name under heaven given among men, whereby we must be saved," for the Call to Prayer. She read the Prayer Calendar and prayed for each one listed on their birthday.

Mrs. Scruggs recognized the visitors and pastors present and thanked the ladies of the host church for inviting the group to meet with them. She announced the Crusade of the Americas Rally to be held Sunday, April 6, at Keppel Auditorium and urged the women to attend, also the two meetings on April 7 and 14 in front of the Court House in Salisbury.

Mrs. Herman Hood read the treasurer's report showing a balance of $631.04 in the bank. The budget for 1969-70 was read and adopted. A copy of the revised By-Laws was given to each one present and there was a motion and second that these be accepted. Mrs. Bill Wilhelm, Chairman of the Nominating Committee, presented the names of the following for officers for the new year:

W. M. U. Director .....

Assistant W. M. U. Director ..... Mrs. J. C. Scruggs
198 N. Yadkin Ave., Spencer, N. C. 28159

W. M. S. Director ..... Mrs. R. R. Hunter
Rt. 2, China Grove, N. C. 28023

Secretary-Treasurer ..... Mrs. Herman Hood
Charles St., Spencer, N. C. 28159

Y. W. A. Director ..... Miss Frances Easter
505 N. Yadkin Ave., Spencer, N. C. 28159

G. A. Director ..... Mrs. Ronald V. Barger
Rt. 2, Box 210-B-2, Rockwell, N. C. 28138

Sunbeam Director ..... Mrs. Wayne Harrelson
Rt. 10, Box 571, Salisbury, N. C. 28144

Mission Action Director ..... Mrs. Leroy Cooper
Rt. 2, Box 204, Salisbury, N. C. 28144

Mission Study Director ..... Mrs. Clyde Bias, Jr.
Hall St., East Spencer, N. C. 28034

Organist ..... Mrs. David Barker
404 Oakwood Dr., Spencer, N. C. 28159

Nominating Committee for 1969-1970 ..... Mrs. W. H. Snider
Rt. 4, Box 714, Salisbury, N. C. 28144

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. Bill Wilhelm, Chairman

Mrs. Grady Queen

Mrs. Ed Ritchie

The officers were duly elected and Rev. Kenneth Payne led in a prayer of dedication.

Miss Kathryn Bullard, State W. M. S. Director, was recognized by our Director and she brought a challenging message on the changes in WMS methods with the thought "no one is born into the world into which he dies."

The hymn of the Crusade of the Americas, "Christ the Only Hope," was sung, and following this the choir of the First Baptist Church, Spencer, directed by Miss Lucille Epperson, brought the special music, an anthem, "Fear Not O Land."

Mrs. Scruggs then introduced Rev. Lamar Tribble, a Missionary to Chili, who brought the closing message using the theme of the Crusade of the Americas, "Christ the Only Hope," as a basis for his thoughts, using Hebrews 13:8, "Jesus Christ the same yesterday, and today, and forever." He emphasized that Christ is the same yesterday, today and forever and that is why we can say in any language "Christ the Only Hope." He is the unchanging One, the faithful One and each of us must ask, "Am I faithful to the task? What does the Lord want us to do right where we are"? Rev. John Carter, Associational Missionary, closed the meeting with prayer.

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. Herman Hood,
Secretary-Treasurer

REPORTS

ROWAN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION — FINANCIAL REPORT

October 1968 - September 1969

RECEIPTS:

Calvary	$ 200.00
Canaan	211.00
China Grove, First	552.23
China Grove, South	250.00
Community	173.50
Cooleemee, First	792.11
Corriher Heights	000.00
Dunn's Mountain	550.00
East Corinth	440.00
East Spencer, First	110.00
Eastside	95.65
Emmanuel	424.85
Enon	399.96
Faith	540.00
Gold Hill	20.00
Grace	46.70
Landis	440.00
Milford Hills	200.00
Needmore	184.12
North Main	375.00
Oakdale	600.00
Pine Ridge	497.12
Providence	15.00
Rockwell	120.00
Rowan Mills	128.34
Salisbury, First	1,545.00
Southside	100.00
Spencer, First	675.10
Stallings Memorial	1,500.00
Trading Ford	650.00
Trinity	305.15
West Corinth	568.17
West Park	10.00
Wyatts Grove	30.00
Yadkin	280.00
Franklin	106.00
Oakland Heights	000.00
State Convention	903.00
Special Oakland Hgh	1,231.10
SS Enlargement	555.00
Music School	6.00
Refund	2.50
Evangelistic Rally	96.16
Missionary Supply	15.00
Total	$16,168.76

DISBURSEMENTS & SUMMARY

Balance October 1, 1969		$ 1,387.14
Receipts:		
From Churches	$13,335.00	
State Conv.	903.00	
SS Enlargement	555.00	
for Oakland Hgt.	1,231.10	
Evangelistic Rally	96.16	
Music School	6.00	
Parsonage Fund	25.00	
Missionary Supply	15.00	
Refund	2.50	
Total Receipts		16,168.76
Grand Total		$17,555.90

Disbursements:

Missionary Salary	$ 5,200.00	
Car Allowance	999.91	
Utilities	679.69	
Retirement	400.08	
Telephone	272.84	
Parsonage	2,400.00	
SS Enlargement	274.15	
SS Enlargement, Spec	555.00	
Office Supplies	244.33	
Printing Minutes and Programs	861.24	
Projector	210.00	
Convention Expense	301.00	
Postage	180.00	
Sunday School	7.19	
Visual Aids	15.19	
Gift, Missionary	100.00	
Training Union	83.33	
Crusade of Americas	393.48	
Repairs	13.48	
Treasurer's Fee	125.00	
Clerk's Fee	200.00	
Assistant Clerk	150.00	
Insurance Parsonage	145.00	
Brotherhood	11.80	
Oakland Hgt. Note	317.28	
Total		$14,192.89
Balance 9-30-69		$ 3,363.01

Building Fund:

Balance Oct. 1, 1968		$ 4,021.15
Receipts		25.00
		$ 4,046.15

Disbursements:

Home Building Loan— on Note	$ 1,000.00	
Repairs	1,210.83	
Total		2,210.83
Bal. 9-30-69		$ 1,835.32
Balance Due Home Building Loan		$16,723.20

BROTHERHOOD REPORT

The Rowan Associational Brotherhood has taken on new meaning. Our work at one time consisted of just meetings; now, we have a group of officers who will and do go into the churches to teach study courses, give information, and assist in any way by the help of God. This has been successful to a certain extent. Let us not think of the Brotherhood work as a social gathering but as a mission opportunity. As we become more informed in the total work of Baptist men we will accept the open door of mission study and mission action.

We are now doing mission work in Rest Home, Nursing Home. Also, we are engaged in a prison ministry, hoping to lift up Jesus as Savior and Lord. These men need to make a new start in life and if we can share with them the Lord of life, a new beginning will take place.

Let us not forget our obligations to our boys. If they are to be Ambassadors for Christ, they must have our help. We will have added duties in October of 1970 with the responsibility of the six, seven, and eight year olds. May we suggest that each church secure a man and his wife to attend now the Sunbeams and observe these boys until October. Then in the new program we will be ready to lead these boys in missions.

As we look forward to the coming year and all its great challenge, we stand ready to engage ourselves in our Father's business. We believe that our Baptist Men and our Baptist Women will meet these challenges and will lead our people of our churches

to pray for missions,

to support missions through tithes and offerings,

to conduct mission actions in our communities,

to provide organizations and leadership.

Respectfully submitted,

Charles Collins

REPORT OF WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

Woman's Missionary Union has undergone many changes this year. The first of these changes being in terminology. For example, we no longer have WMU Presidents, we are WMU Directors. But the major changes have been in organizational structure. These changes were undertaken in the belief that the ongoing ministry of Woman's Missionary Union can better be served as more of its members are made available to move out into the mission field with a people-to-people ministry.

October 1970 will bring changes in the organizational structure of the other teaching agencies of the church. With the changes already made in Woman's Missionary Union, we feel that we have gotten a jump ahead of the other organizations. The major changes ahead for us now will be grouping-grading and new publications. These changes have been exciting, challenging, and rewarding, as we have been challenged afresh and anew to make Christ relevant to our generation.

And so, with the organizational hurdle behind us, we look forward to the new year with enthusiasm and great expectation. The words of our Watchword for the year, "Our love should not be just words and talk; it must be true love, which shows itself in action," will help us to overcome the temptation to substitute talk about love for deeds of love, or as the King James Version reads, for "love in truth." Love, as it is defined in this passage, is a claim upon the church as a whole as well as upon believers as individuals. Christians are admonished to show love, not by hymns and profession alone, but by our daily lives. Through Woman's Missionary Union's plan of mission action, Christians can show their love as they minister and witness to persons of special need. As the occasion arises, Christians must show their love, for in so doing, they show themselves to be the children of God.

These words from our Hymn for the Year should become a meaningful prayer to all of us as we endeavor to "live the spirit of Christ in belief and relevance" during 1969-70:

Seal us, O Holy Spirit,
Grant us thine impress, we pray;
We would be more like the Savior,
Stamped in His image today.
Seal us, Seal us, Seal us just now, we pray;
Seal us, O Holy Spirit, Seal us for service today.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. J. C. Scruggs, WMU Director

MUSIC REPORT

Music Exalts Our Lives — and Brings Us "Near to the Heart of God" —

As we take a visionary look into the "Dynamic 70's" our hearts are inspired to great hope and expectations. The music ministry of Rowan Association shall redouble their effort to reach over more than a thousand active participants as they share their stewardship of talent with God and His children. The music council has a general chairman and seven zone chairmen that keep in constant touch with their own group of 6 or 7 churches.

We truly have "something for everyone" from beginners to adults and graded choirs are appearing in most of our larger churches. Hand bell groups, instrumental groups and small vocal groups are enjoying the lovely music literature, and add to all this our own wonderful Baptist Hymnal. Our number of 1,045 — broken down to singing groups, is: beginner — 48; primary — 105; junior — 203; intermediate — 96; young people — 161 — adult — 389; general officers — 43.

We are participating in the various festivals, M Night, carol sing at the VA Hospital for Christmas and a school of music directed by Mr. Charles Gatewood of Raleigh, and quarterly meetings of the council. The zone chairmen are: Mrs. Barbara Hoffman, Milford Hills Baptist Church; Mr. LaWanda Parchment, Franklin Baptist Church; Mrs. Robert Davis, China Grove — 1st; Mrs. Charles Harris, South China Grove Baptist; Mrs. Ronald Queen of Trading Ford Baptist; and Mr. Grover Miller, Dunn's Mountain Baptist Church.

We shall make a special effort of encouragement to our young people to share their talent with God and become a candidate organ or piano pupil with this in mind.

The youth of First Church and others gave several stirring and beautiful performances of the timely "Good News."

Let the music council help you to make a joyful sound "in our church choirs on God's Day."

"Only to be — what He wants me to be — every moment of the day."

Respectfully submitted,

Georgia Blalock, Music Chairman

TRAINING UNION REPORT

As we, the Baptists of Rowan County, embark on a new year in the life of our Association we find, according to attendance reports, interest in the Training Program of our denomination at a low level. "M" night attendance has declined each year for several years, our Tournaments have had a complete void of participants in some areas along with low attendance at both the Tournaments and Youth night meetings.

The changes that are planned for our denomination in the 1970's are giving to us a most wonderful opportunity to stop, find ourselves and determine where we are, then chart a revised course of direction. Friends, change is inevitable. For this reason, let's be open-minded to change and still not lose sight of the goal of our Training Program, and do better than "get in on the ground floor." Instead let's help lay the foundation for a bigger and better program of work, realizing that those who lead us can do no better than we will let them do.

Let's all pray for our work with such strong faith that "Asking, ye shall receive."

Respectfully submitted,

Jack H. Pickett

Addendum:

In the July 1969 meeting of the Executive-Promotion Committee I was elected to serve as your Associational Training Union Director.

As your Training Union Director, I would like to suggest we emphasize the following objectives as goals to work towards for the coming year:

1. An understanding of the tasks of a Church Training Program.
2. An emphasis on the Associational Tournaments.
3. A stronger emphasis and better cooperation in our "M" Night Programs.
4. An emphasis on the three Shaping the 70's Clinics in Rowan Association.

An adequate well planned and executed Church Training Program is essential to the spiritual and numerical growth of any local Baptist Church. Your Associational Training Union officers are ready to help you in any way at any time. It is your responsibility to call upon us. Hoping for a good year in Church Training in our Association.

Respectfully submitted,

Bobby Seagroves

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

"The Church Fulfilling Its Mission Through Evangelism and World Missions."

Our report for the Sunday School year 1968-69 of work in the Rowan Baptist Association follows:

October: In October we had a Director-led Enlargement that many of our churches took part in.

January: In January we had a two night follow-up meeting of The Enlargement Campaign. A Teacher-Training Clinic was held with the meeting being held at The First Church of Salisbury. The faculty for the meetings was provided by The State Sunday School Department.

March: In March we had a combined conference on Soul-Winning and Evangelism. This meeting was held at The Rowan Mills Baptist Church. The spirit of the meeting and the attendance were very good. The speaker for the evening was Dr. Delos Miles of the Evangelism Department of The Baptist State Convention of South Carolina.

Also in March we had a Day and Night session of our Associational V. B. S. Clinic led by Rev. Ronald McSwain.

August: A one night Training-Planning meeting was held at the Faith Baptist Church.

September: Action Night was held at the Southside Baptist Church.

Respectfully submitted,

LeRoy Cooper,

Assoc. Sunday School Supt.

REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE-PROMOTION COMMITTEE

The Rowan Baptist Executive-Promotion Committee met four times the past Associational Year. Three of these meetings were held at the First Baptist Church, Salisbury, N. C., and one at the Stallings Memorial Baptist Church, Salisbury, N. C.

At the January 1969 meeting, held at the First Baptist Church, Salisbury, the resignation of Bro. Jim Ballard as Associational Training Union Director was accepted and Bro. Jack Pickett, who had been serving as Associate Training Union Director, was asked to serve as Director. Bro. Grover Osborne was asked to serve as Assistant R. A. Leader in the Rowan Association. The Executive-Promotion Committee approved the vesting of authority to the Associational Missionary to direct the Treasurer of the Association to pay out of contingencies bills for meals and lodging for persons coming into the Association as guests for

which there is no associational funds provided.

The second quarterly meeting of the new year was held on April 22, 1969 at the First Baptist Church, Salisbury. Bro. Charles Summers, Associational Treasurer, gave the Financial Report for the quarter ended March 31, 1969 which showed receipts for the quarter of $3,323.59, disbursements of $3,700.94, with a balance in the General Fund March 31, 1969 of $1,595.01. The report also showed a balance in the Building Fund of $2,124.32.

The third quarterly meeting was held on July 22, 1969 at the Stallings Memorial Baptist Church, Salisbury. A report from the Nominating Committee was received presenting the following nominees: Sunday School Supt. — Bro. Leroy Cooper; Baptist Training Union Director — Bro. Bobby Seagroves; Director of Baptist Men — Bro. C. N. Collins; Music Director — Mrs. J. Earle Blalock. Motion carried for acceptance of these officers. A recommendation was received from the Missions Committee of the Rowan Association that Sunday, September 7, 1969 be designated as "Associational Missions Day," and that all of the churches of the Rowan Association be asked to participate in an offering for the purpose of liquidating the indebtedness of Oakland Heights Mission.

A recommended goal of 50¢ per resident member was suggested. This recommendation was approved by the Executive-Promotion Committee of the Association. The Committee also approved a recommendation from the Associational Building & Grounds Committee for necessary repair and improvements to the Associational Parsonage. Action was taken for the Association to request a youth worker for next summer from the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina. The Proposed Budget for the Rowan Baptist Association for the year 1969-70 was adopted. This Proposed Budget includes an item of $2,500 to be designated as Missions Action, and is to be under the supervision of the Missions Committee of the Rowan Baptist Association. The Associational Treasurer was authorized to meet the payments on the Oakland Heights Mission mortgage until determination could be made of the September 7th special offering by the churches of the Association.

The final meeting of the Executive-Promotion Committee for the Associational Year was held on October 14, 1969 at the First Baptist Church, Salisbury. It was reported that the mortgage indebtedness of Oakland Heights Mission was $2,152.08 as of this date. The Executive-Promotion Committee voted to set December 1, 1969 as a deadline for the special offering for the Oakland Heights Mission from the churches in the Rowan Association, and whatever amount comes in will be used to reduce

the indebtedness balance of $2,152.08. At that time the Association will assume the responsibility of matching dollar for dollar with the Oakland Heights Mission on liquidation of the indebtedness for any amount that the churches do not pay. Approval was made of recommendation for purchase of an electric range for the Associational Parsonage. Approval was also made of request for endorsement by the Rowan Baptist Association for a $200 per year scholarship for Steve Fink, student at Gardner-Webb College. The Committee approved application from the Rowan Association to the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina for aid in the amount of $840. The final meeting of the Executive-Promotion Committee for the Associational Year adjourned with prayer by Bro. H. M. Hocutt.

Respectfully submitted,

James L. McCoy, Clerk

REPORT OF PLACE, TIME, AND PREACHER COMMITTEE

The days for the annual meeting of the Rowan Baptist Association are predetermined by our constitution.

The constitution stipulates that the Association will meet on Tuesday and Wednesday after the fourth Sunday in October.

Therefore, the annual meeting of this association in 1970 will meet on October 27th and 28th.

We have received invitations from Milford Hills and Enon Churches to meet with them in 1970.

Your committee recommends that the Association meet with Milford Hills on Tuesday October 27th and Enon on Wednesday October 28th.

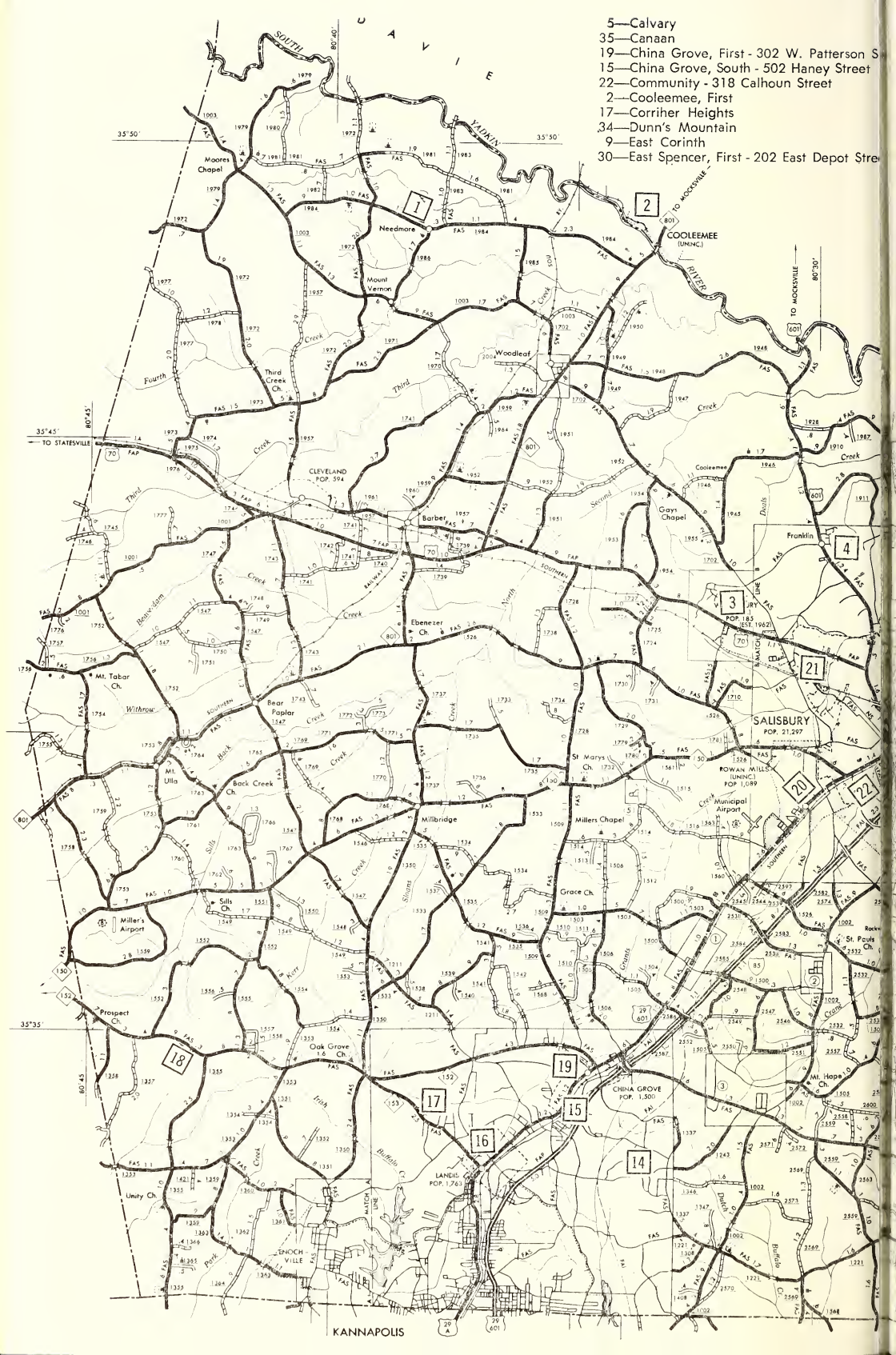
We further recommend that Rev. Ralph Hammett, Pastor of North Main Baptist Church, preach the Annual Sermon, and Rev. Ronald McSwain, Pastor of Dunn's Mountain Church, be the Alternate.

Respectfully submitted,

Marvin Smith, Chairman

Ronald McSwain

C. V. Talbert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35—Canaan
19—China Grove, First - 302 W. Patterson S
15—China Grove, South - 502 Haney Street
22—Community - 318 Calhoun Street
2—Cooleemee, First
17—Corriher Heights
34—Dunn's Mountain
9—East Corinth
30—East Spencer, First - 202 East Depot Stre
DAVIE
SOUTH YADKIN RIVER
TO MOCKSVILLE
TO STATESVILLE
Moores Chapel
Needmore
Mount Vernon
COOLEEMEE (UNINC.)
Woodleaf
Third Creek Ch.
CLEVELAND POP. 594
Barber
Cooleemee
Gays Chapel
Franklin
POP. 185 (EST. 1962)
Ebenezer Ch.
Mt. Tabar Ch.
Bear Paplar
Mt. Ulla
Back Creek Ch.
Millbridge
St Marys Ch.
ROWAN MILLS (UNINC.) POP. 1,089
SALISBURY POP. 21,297
Municipal Airport
Millers Chapel
Grace Ch.
Sills Ch.
Miller's Airport
St. Peuls Ch.
Prospect Ch.
Oak Grove Ch.
Mt. Hope Ch.
CHINA GROVE POP. 1,500
LANDIS POP. 1,765
Unity Ch.
ENOCH VILLE
KANNAPOLIS
35°50'
35°45'
35°35'
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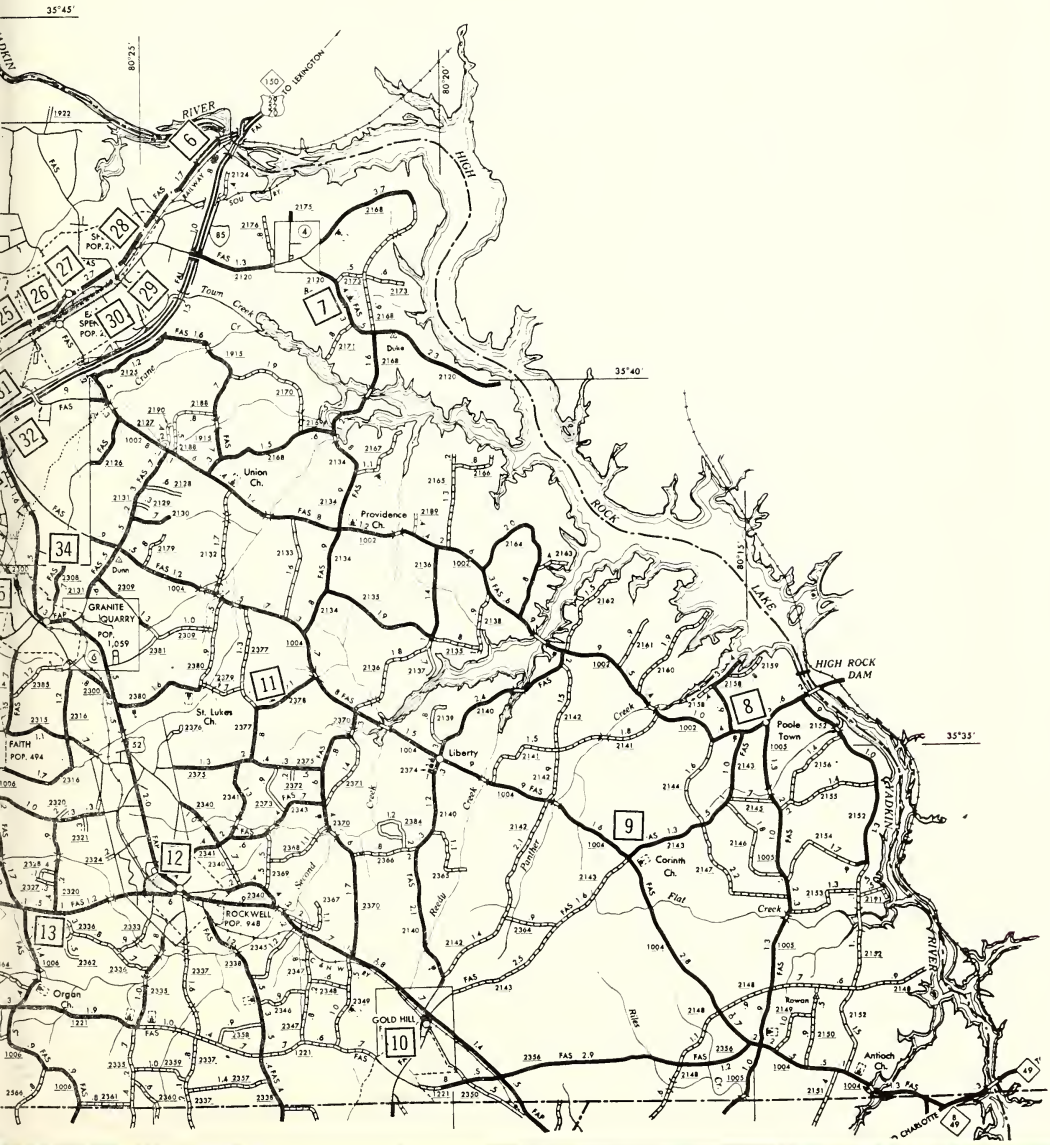
11—Eastside
31—Emmanuel - 601 East Cemetery Street
3—Enon
36—Faith
4—Franklin
10—Gold Hill
16—Landis - West Ryder & N. Kimmons
21—Milford Hills - 1238 E. Colonial Drive
1—Needmore
25—North Main - 1401 North Main Street
28—Oakdale - 225 Charles Street
14—Pine Ridge
29—Providence - Andrews Street
12—Rockwell
20—Rowan Mills
24—Salisbury, First - 223 N. Fulton Street
33—Southside
27—Spencer, First - 215 Fifth Street
23—Stallings Memorial - 817 S. Main Street
7—Trading Ford
26—Trinity - Carolina Ave. & 8th Street
18—West Corinth
13—West Park
8—Wyatts Grove
6—Yadkin
32—Oakland Heights Mission



REPORT OF NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Moderator ..... J. T. Holland

Vice-Moderator ..... Ronald W. McSwain

Clerk ..... James L. McCoy

Associate Clerk & Statistician ..... Mrs. James L. McCoy

Treasurer ..... Charles Summers

Chorister ..... Elmer Phipps

Pianist ..... Mrs. J. Earle Blalock

Shaping the 70's Team:

- Association 70's Opportunity Representative ..... Ken Bobo
- Church Administer Representative ..... Clyde Chapman
- Librarian ..... Mrs. Ed Poe
- Moderator ..... J. T. Holland
- Sunday School Superintendent ..... Leroy Cooper

W. M. U. Director ..... Mrs. J. C. Scruggs

- Training Union Director ..... Bobby Seagroves
- Director of Baptist Men ..... C. N. Collins
- Music: ..... Mrs. J. Earle Blalock
  - Congregational Singing ..... Charles R. Bolden
  - Graded Choirs ..... Mrs. R. M. Gregory, Chairman
    Mrs. E. S. Smoot
  - Director of Instrumental Music ..... Mrs. E. H. Potts
  - Promotion ..... Mrs. Robert Davis

Trustees ..... Bob Davis, Chairman
Franklin Scarborough
Sam May

Seminary Extension Director ..... Clyde Chapman

Pastor Advisor ..... Banks Mullis

Respectfully submitted,
Ronald Queen
Banks Mullis
Mrs. Ronald McSwain
C. G. Wise
J. T. Holland

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES

1969 - 1970

MISSIONS COMMITTEE: Rev. Victor Cole, Chairman; Mrs. Clyde Bias, Jr., Mrs. J. C. Scruggs, Mr. C. C. Fain, Dr. John Holland, Mr. S. A. Mayfield.

COMMITTEE ON RECEPTION OF NEW CHURCHES: Chaplain, W. E. Haltom, Chairman, Rev. Marvin Dameron, Mr. Joe Blake.

OBITUARY COMMITTEE: Mrs. Brown Ketner, Chairman, Mrs. John Dry, Mrs. Robert Davis.

PUBLIC MORALS & CIVIC RIGHTEOUSNESS COMMITTEE: Rev. Larry Linker, Chairman; Mrs. E. J. Wagoner, Rev. Horace Moree.

FINANCE COMMITTEE: Mr. Charles Summers, Chairman; Mr. J. H. Brower, Mr. J. Jarrell.

RADIO AND TELEVISION COMMITTEE: Rev. Charles Burchette, Chairman; Mrs. T. R. Stepp, Mrs. James McCoy.

PLACE AND PREACHER: Rev. Carl Kincaid, Chairman; Mr. Kenneth Baker, Mr. Richard Moorefield.

RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE: Rev. Clay Barnes, Chairman; Rev. Clarence Jenkins, Mrs. James Elium.

NOMINATING COMMITTEE: Mr. C. G. Wise, Chairman; Mrs. Ronald McSwain, Rev. Joe Richards, Mr. Robert Davis, Rev. Banks Mullis.

AUDIO VISUAL AIDS: Rev. John Carter, Chairman; Mr. Charlie Collins, Rev. Bobby Seagroves, Rev. Leroy Cooper, Mrs. J. C. Scruggs.

CAMP DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE: Mrs. Luther Bullard, Chairman; Mr. Grady Queen, Mr. Conrad Bost.

HISTORICAL COMMITTEE: Mrs. J. Earl Blalock, Chairman; Mrs. Reuben Hellard, Rev. H. M. Hocutt.

EVANGELISM COMMITTEE: Rev. Luther Bullard, Chairman; Rev. Ronald McSwain, Rev. Gordon Pope, Rev. Leroy Cooper, Rev. Banks Mullis, Rev. Wade James.

SEMINARY EXTENSION COMMITTEE: Dr. Clyde Chapman, Chairman; Rev. Ralph Hammett, Mr. J. L. Hensley.

JUVENILE DELINQUENCY AND REHABILITATION COMMITTEE: Mr. Edwin Koontz, Chairman; Rev. Dolph Robinson, Mr. Ed Turrentine.

PROPERTY COMMITTEE: Mr. T. R. Stepp, Chairman; Rev. Marvin Smith, Mr. Harold Myers, Mr. Elmer Phipps.

CONSTITUTION COMMITTEE: Mr. Graham Carlton, Chairman; Rev. Cecil Herrin, Rev. Luther Bullard.

REPRESENTATIVES OF VARIOUS INSTITUTIONS AND AGENCIES

1. Christian Education ..... Mrs. E. Carr Choate
2. Children's Homes ..... Mrs. Victor Cole
3. Homes for the Aging ..... Mr. Clyde Yates, Jr.
4. Christian Literature ..... Rev. Bryson Bigby
5. Minister's Retirement ..... Rev. Clay Barnes
6. American Bible Society ..... Chaplain W. E. Haltom
7. Baptist Hospital ..... Rev. John Simpson
8. Baptist Student Union ..... (?)
9. Cooperative Program ..... Mr. Gerald Herrin
10. Baptist Foundation ..... Rev. J. D. Hogsed

RECOMMENDATION OF COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES

We, the members of the Committee on Committees, bring the following recommendations: (1) We recommend that the wording of **Representatives and Members of Various Boards** be changed to read **Representatives of Various Institutions and Agencies;** (2) We recommend that Rowan Cooperative Christian Ministry and Dr. J. T. Holland as Representative be added to the list of **Representatives of Various Institutions and Agencies.**

Respectfully submitted,

Luther S. Bullard, Chairman
John T. Holland
Mrs. J. C. Scruggs
Kenneth L. Payne
Carl Kincaid

We, your committee on Resolutions, present the following resolutions for your consideration:

1. We resolve that the Rowan Association express its sincere thanks to Mr. Graham Carlton for the splendid way he has presided over this 42nd Annual Session.

2. We resolve to express our thanks to all of those who have taken part in this excellent program, all speakers, musicians, and to those who have given reports from various departments of our Association.

3. We resolve to express our appreciation to the host churches, Oakdale Baptist Church of Spencer and the Emmanuel Church of Salisbury. Their hospitality and cordiality have been clearly demonstrated and appreciated.

4. We resolve to express our gratitude to our Associational Clerk and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. James L. McCoy, and to our Associational Treasurer, Mr. Charles Summers, for their faithfulness and efficiency. Their tasks require much effort, time, and ability.

5. We resolve to give a higher degree of loyal support and service to our Association and to the Kingdom work of our Baptist State Convention.

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. Fant Kelly
Mrs. Pearl Talbert
T. R. Stepp

ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONS REPORT

The primary concern and activity of the Missions Committee this year has been in relation to the Oakland Heights Mission. Two areas of involvement were Associational Missions Day on September 7 for the purpose of raising debt retirement funds, and cooperation with the mission in a change of pastors.

Fourteen churches contributed a total of $1,231.10 toward the building debt and the Oakland Heights membership gave $1,167.67, which reduced the outstanding indebtedness from $4,519.75 to $2,152.08.

Brother Ken Payne, who began his ministry at Oakland Heights in July, 1967, after more than two years of diligent effort indicated to the Missions Committee his intention to discontinue the work after August, 1969, and so the mission, acting upon the recommendation of the Missions Committee to

the Executive-Promotion Committee, extended a call to Brother John Simpson to become pastor effective October 1, 1969.

Already the effective leadership of Brother Simpson is evident, and there is every prospect for a thriving work at Oakland Heights.

Respectfully submitted,

Victor G. Cole

CHRISTIAN HIGHER EDUCATION

The present time is characterized by restlessness and confusion. All values are being challenged. Thoughtful young people seek noble causes and look for selfless leaders and inspiring examples to follow. Having grown up in a world in tension, they look to a future which holds little promise of international peace, personal security or domestic tranquility.

To a tragic number of our youth, authority suggests tyranny; discipline is not associated with progress; and they see little connection between freedom and responsibility.

In the past two years, we have observed students in violent conflict with constituted authority and, in some instances, the process of learning has been stopped and property seized and destroyed.

Those responsible for administration must make decisions which, if dipsleasing to the recipients, may result in violent rebellion. Even the most considered plans and agonizing decisions are sure to draw pungent judgments from some quarter of the gallery of critics.

The costs of providing a good environment for learning have risen steadily and inescapably. In the past ten years, the enrollment in American colleges and universities has doubled. College officers and trustees feel heavily the burden of inflation as they seek to retain a strong and stable faculty and to provide adequate buildings for living and learning. Colleges and universities have been caused to look long and searchingly at what they have been teaching, the effectiveness of their efforts, and the spirit in which their work is done.

Is the church-related college distinctive? Is it doing a superior job of preparing responsible citizens? Is it cultivating in people the responsibility to serve rather than the demand to be served? Is it, in the words of the Apostle Paul, ". . . speaking the truth in love"?

To the degree that these questions can be affirmatively answered, the church-related college provides a superior opportunity to prepare for responsible Christian Citizenship.

Baptists can lend strong support to our centers of higher education in the following ways:

Recognize the effectiveness of the Christian college to increase the influence of Christianity in the affairs of men. Be attentive to its progress, its problems and its needs. Give generously, remembering always the magnitude of the financial problems which it faces. Seek to know the people who administer your colleges. Be interested in their problems as well as their achievements. Encourage them with expressions of confidence and with assurance of your prayers.

Finally, send them the finest of your young people. In so doing, you register your confidence, guarantee your sympathetic interest and provide them with an unfailing resource of inspiration, young men and women with active minds and sound character.

Respectfully submitted,

Daniel E. Kirk

COOPERATIVE PROGRAM AND STEWARDSHIP REPORT

We have worshipped in our churches. We have been made aware of many needs. We have also been shown ways in which we can help. Through the Cooperative Program we give to World Missions, Christian Education, Social Services, and State Missions. The North Carolina goal for this year is $6,750,000. Let us all pray that we will be in the power of the Holy Spirit when we give through the Cooperative Program.

At this time our churches have begun to plan their stewardship programs. From the Division of Stewardship Promotion we are reminded that when we mention "stewardship" many of us think of the dollar sign $$$$. Stewardship means more than money . . . It means responsibility in all areas of life. We are stewards of our time, our talents and our abilities.

The Christian attitude is that we are responsible beings and must one day give account of ourselves to God for all that He provides. The worship of God with tithes and offerings provides a way for expressing our gratitude for His many blessings.

As dedicated Christian Stewards we should try to lead our church:

1. To use a stewardship program to help subscribe our own church's budget.

2. To increase the percentage of the offering plate dollar given to World Missions through the Cooperative Program.

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. Robert M. Brunson

BAPTIST HOSPITAL

Our Medical Center continues a high quality program of medical care, training of medical personnel, and research in the cause and treatment of the diseases which afflict us. In the face of serious financial problems, the hospital staff is working diligently to minister to our people in keeping with their needs and to the limit of the hospital's resources.

The hospital has instituted more efficient admission procedures regarding patients' financial resources and plans for payment of hospital bills. Trained Counselors are interviewing patients and their families regarding advance payments which are now required and for getting more accurate information on those who need help. In this way they are able better to discover those patients who may be eligible for medical care assistance through social service departments or other health agencies, and can start proceedings at once for getting these patients certified if this has not already been done. These agencies pay a major part of the cost for those they certify, but not the total cost, the Mother's Day Fund must pay the balance. A member of the family must go to the agency and give the necessary information, and getting this done is often a real problem. Many of our pastors have helped in this connection and have rendered important service for the patients and the hospital.

If it were not for the help which comes from these health agencies, our Mother's Day Fund would not last for three months. After paying the difference between what the agency pays and the total cost, the Mother's Day Offerings are used to help as many as possible of those not eligible for certification and who themselves can not pay the total cost of their care. First preference must be given to those patients whose needs are the greatest and most urgent. The free care the hospital gives must now be limited in keeping with the funds provided for this purpose, however, because the hospital cannot continue to go deeper in debt.

It is important that our people understand that all of the Mother's Day Offerings and designated gifts for this ministry are used for this purpose alone, and the Hospital makes them

go as far as it can. The trustees and administration of the hospital are most grateful for the fine cooperation our pastors and our people are giving, and they earnestly solicit our understanding and generous support.

Offerings from Rowan Churches:

1966	$3,197.74
1967	$3,929.26
1968	$2,932.00
August 1969	about $500 behind last year

Do we want a Hospital ministry among North Carolina Baptists? Why have we decreased our giving? Would God have us discontinue this ministry?

Respectfully submitted for

Mrs. Hayden Cartner

BAPTIST CHILDREN'S HOMES OF NORTH CAROLINA

Among church-supported agencies, North Carolina Baptists are fortunate to have one of the finest programs in the nation for the care and development of dependent children and for strengthening and supporting family life. This is an application of the teaching and example of Christ in His earthly ministry. More than 1,200 children and their families are served annually.

The Children's Homes, through a variety of quality services, is recognized as a family service agency. We have a well-trained professional staff. They work in group care programs, foster homes, family services, and consultation with churches in preschool programs as well as to plan for higher education of children who have been in care. There are six campuses and regional casework centers throughout the State.

More requests for services are coming now than ever before. All agency beds are filled and all available money is being utilized. Our Homes feel the effect of inflationary economy in addition to which a wider variety of quality services are required to meet the needs of children in our present day complex society.

Friends of Children's Homes, in Western North Carolina, have responded and funds are available for the Broyhill Home in sufficient amount to purchase land, prepare the site, and build the first two cottages for children. This will serve children of Western North Carolina. Through the cooperation of Baptist and other friends of the Homes a new ministry is being developed in Asheville: A home in which to serve unwed mothers and their offspring.

Designated gifts and bequests from individuals and families is making upgrading of facilities a significant part of the long range plans:

Two cottages are now under construction at Mills Home;

A recreation building and an infirmary at Kennedy Home,

Two cottages for children at Broyhill Home scheduled for next year.

The Homes are supported in three principal ways:

1. Through the Cooperative Program;
2. The Thanksgiving Offering;
3. Special gifts.

All three have played a vital role in the operation of the Homes, and there is need for increases in all three.

Many friends are finding a real source of blessing in setting up trusts for the Homes and by means of wills and estate planning for the needs of dependent children. Members of the staff are always available for consultation in estate planning and the preparation of wills.

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. C. M. Yates, Sr.

OUR BELOVED DEAD

CALVARY: Mrs. Sadie Major, Mrs. Paul Barrier, Mrs. Mamie Karriker, Mr. Glenn Pickler, and Mrs. John Coughnour.

CANAAN: Mr. Gary Steven Hinson.

CHINA GROVE, FIRST: Mr. Abe Linker, Mrs. Mollie Chisenhall, Mr. Ross Owensby.

CHINA GROVE, SOUTH: Mr. Joe Speight, Mrs. Pearl Walker, Mr. Albert Mull.

COMMUNITY: Mrs. Jennie Beam.

COOLEEMEE, FIRST: Mrs. Mollie Hancock, Miss Bettie Orrender, Mr. Henry Nail, Mr. Larry Nichols, Mr. Vander Hodgson, Mrs. Myrtle Efird, Mr. Charlie Howell.

CORRIHER HEIGHTS: Mr. Curlee White.

DUNN'S MOUNTAIN: Mrs. Callie Walton, Mrs. Gladys Johnson.

EAST CORINTH: Mr. C. D. Goodman, Mrs. J. M. Lake, Mrs. Georgia Wyatt.

EAST SPENCER, FIRST: Mr. Garland Clement.

EMMANUEL: Miss Pamela Thomas, Mr. George Morris, Mr. C. C. Eller, Mr. Ralph Frye, Mr. Tony Fleming.

FAITH: Mrs. F. A. Nance.

GOLD HILL: Mrs. John Brady, Mr. John Honeycutt, Mrs. R. L. Morgan.

LANDIS: Mr. Lindsay Robinette, Mrs. Nora Deaton, Mr. John C. Petrea, Mr. Lester Turner, Mr. Shorty Burrell, Mrs. Homer Overcash, Mr. Minnie Brown, Mrs. Linnie Frye, Mr. W. H. Shue, Mrs. Raney Morgan, Mr. J. A. Plyler, Mr. Ed Smith.

NEEDMORE: Miss Ruth Combs, Mr. L. M. Connell.

NORTH MAIN: Mrs. Ella Beck, Mr. Wayne Yost.

OAKDALE: Mrs. H. L. Green, Charter Member; Mrs. Roxie Broadway, Mr. W. G. Grubb, Charter Member; Mr. L. C. Rogers, Mrs. John Walser, Mrs. Tom Brooks.

ROCKWELL: Mr. Luther Cauble, Mr. M. A. Cauble.

ROWAN MILLS: Mrs. Roy Crooks, Mr. Roy Kimmer, Mrs. E. J. Shellnut, Mr. Monroe Cottingham, Mrs. Lillie Bradshaw.

SALISBURY, FIRST: Mrs. H. D. Buckner, Mr. K. E. Clarke, Mr. C. B. Culbertson, Sr., Mr. Clyde Gooch, Mrs. C. F. Huffman, Mrs. G. W. Jones, Sr., Miss Emma Middleton, Mr. O. F. Rudacil, Mrs. Mary Seawell, Mrs. J. O. Sparks, Mrs. D. C. Trexler, Mrs. W. R. Yost, Mr. C. R. Benson.

SPENCER, FIRST: Mr. Graham Lloyd, Mr. J. M. Crowell, Sr., Mrs. H. A. Williams, Mrs. W. G. Walker, Mrs. P. D. Jones, Sr., Mrs. J. L. Smith, Sr., Mrs. J. I. Lomax.

STALLINGS MEMORIAL: Mr. M. M. Williams, Mr. George Hathcock, Mr. Harold Coggins, Mrs. J. C. Ellenburg, Mrs. J. S. Whitman, Mr. W. F. Wellman, Deacon; Mr. H. C. Roseman, Sr., Mr. Roddy Gabriel, Mr. Everette Stogner, Mr. C. F. Limerick, Mr. S. D. Miller, Mr. John F. Deadmon, Jr.

TRADING FORD: Mr. Lacy Barber, Deacon.

TRINITY: Mr. T. L. Girdler.

WEST CORINTH: Mrs. J. C. Blalock, Mr. Earl Allman.

WEST PARK: Mr. Sam Edwards, Mr. Hilbert Misenheimer.

OAKLAND HEIGHTS: Mrs. F. C. Freeman, Mr. J. T. Wise.

AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY REPORT

The American Bible Society's business is —

"United in one task — Bringing the Word of God to the **World** of God."

Consider the vastness of the work of the American Bible Society which is doing this one thing — providing scriptures in more than 450 languages for many lands so you and all people may know the Living Lord.

Hospitals, nursing homes, homes for the aged, and prisons are places where the Christmas story as told in Luke will be placed in December through the American Bible Society. "Bible-a-Month Club." With each $2.00 contributed 125 Christmas selections will be made available to forgotten people in various institutions in the U. S.

Since 1952 Dale Evans and Roy Rogers, Christian film personalities, have worked to keep Christ in the observance of Christmas through the use of seals depicting Luke 2:11. Distribution of over 8,000,000 seals are a part of their effort to tell others that the Bible is the heart of Christmas. We can use this means to extend our witness of our Lord.

Last year the American Bible Society sent out more than 7,000,000 copies of Scripture for the world. The Society will see to it that people who have never been able to read the Christmas story have it in their own language.

In 1966 a new title appeared on the book market. It was "GOOD NEWS FOR MODERN MAN," published by the American Bible Society. The distribution of the paperback has topped 16 million copies. Last March The Most Rev. Richard Cardinal Cushing, Archbishop of Boston, granted his official approval to Today's English Version of the New Testament, clearing the way for the distribution to millions of Roman Catholic readers.

Side-by-side with the development of the printed edition of "Good News for Modern Man" has come the preparation of materials for the visually handicapped and blind: The New Testament in Braille and the Talking Book Records.

Last year North Carolina Baptist State Convention sent $7,149.71 to the Bible Society. This was income from the churches in our State. Many Churches in our Association contributed to this cause.

Cannot we make this an item in every church budget this year and be "United in the One Task — Bringing the Word of God to the World of God"?

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. E. Carr Choate

BAPTIST HOMES FOR THE AGING

The Lord's presence and goodness have been real in the Homes for the Aging during these years and especially during 1969. The 3rd Sunday of February saw weather at its severest; but God, who is in charge of the weather and of the Homes for the Aging, moved on the hearts of Baptists and they saw the urgency of the needs.

Eighteen Churches in the Rowan Association gave $957.75, but 19 gave nothing to this cause, by making a special offering. This special offering and the Cooperative Program provide about 1/3 of the total income of the Homes. 85% of the residents receive some financial assistance from these sources. As with all our Institutions, the rising costs of living are felt keenly here also. Our churches are urged to support our Homes more liberally.

We now have FIVE Homes:

Hayes Home, Winston-Salem;

Resthaven, Winston-Salem;

Albemarle Home, Albemarle;

Yanceyville Home, is our newest at Yanceyville;

Hamilton Home, Hamilton.

In these homes live 200 deserving older men and women. These people are finding much happiness in Christian companionship with persons of their age group, and great security in knowing that they will be loved and cared for in sickness as well as in health.

It is deeply rewarding to see the light and joy of Christ on an older person's face and to hear words of deep appreciation for the Christian love and nurture that North Carolina Baptists are making possible through this ministry. This is an oft rewarding experience of our staff daily as they minister in Christ's name for us to these people.

This is a labor of love in the Master's name. We know the Lord will not fail us; let's do our best for Him.

Respectfully submitted,

Rev. Bill Rollings

CHRISTIAN LITERATURE

The 70's — OPPORTUNITIES? CHANGES? Everything seems to stem around the thought of the changes to come during the seventies. All of our literature has something to say about it and we eagerly read and wait to see how we will be affected. The mystery of it all makes us wonder if we will be able to accept the new ideas.

The Southern Baptist Convention publications help us make and accept these changes in the right way, if we will read them. For instance, a family magazine called HOME LIFE guides us in every phase of living, from birth to the aged, helping everyone to see how Christian literature can be an influence on the most important areas of our lives, which is the home. If only something could be said or done to get the family to read this magazine, a great change would take place in Baptist family life. When the HOME changes Christward, the world will change for the better. Next a magazine for college students, THE BAPTIST STUDENT, is designed to help young people to know how to adapt themselves into this world of change and guide them as Christians to STAND STRAIGHT AND TALL. Each college student should receive this and also another publication, COLLEGE AND CAREER; this is a guide to both a Christian college and to Christian vocations. The CHURCH RECREATION magazine provides for us a great many activities planned especially for Christians; leisure time and more of it! This is another change predicted. We need to place God first as we decide what we will do during that part of our lives. This magazine will help us see God's way in good clean fun.

These are just a few of the many pieces of valuable material prepared for us. So, don't let the 70's shape you . . . You shape the 70's through the reading of Christian Literature.

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. C. Reuben Hellard

CAMP DEVELOPMENT

The meeting of the Camp Development Committee several months ago determined two things: First, that although we are enthusiastic about the prospect of realizing an Associational Camp, we know that unless the churches are completely behind the project it cannot be as great a success as we hope. Second, and equally important, was the fact that funds necessary for developing an area, even in a limited way, are limited at present.

Therefore, we recommend to the Association that additional funds be made available for the construction of a multi-purpose lodge that could be used for all organizations of the churches for outings and camp-outs. This is a dream for the future. Won't you consider the tremendous possibilities for a continuing witness for Christ through an Associational Camp.

Respectfully submitted,
Bettie Bullard (Mrs. Luther S.), Chairman
Grady Queen
Conrad Bost

ANNUITY BOARD

Cost of living continues to increase. This inflationary trend affects the buying power of everyone, including the retired. To meet the needs of retiring ministers, church staff members, and denominational employees, the Annuity Board has developed the Southern Baptist Protection Program to provide an adequate retirement income. Many churches and agencies are upgrading their retirement programs by contributing 10% of total salary rather than on just the Basic $4,000. The Annuity Board and the State Conventions heartily endorse this forward step.

There are three plans in the retirement program:

Plan "A" basic retirement — 10% on $4,000 basis.
Plan "B" Supplementary Fund.
Plan "C" Variable Fund.

Highlights:

23,714 members in Plan "A".
18,086 Churches providing protection for their pastors.
$173,863 given in relief grants.
$6,543,169 paid in total relief and protection benefits.
3,106 applications for Health Benefit Plan (Hospital and Major Medical).
790 applications for Life Benefit Plan (Term: Life Insurance).

For the third consecutive year the Annuity Board has given a 13th check to all recipients of life retirement benefits.

Respectfully submitted,
Thomas D. Poole

PUBLIC MORALS AND CIVIC RIGHTEOUSNESS

We often say we are concerned about the moral standards in our country, but what are we doing to raise or to change this standard? Many television programs are indecent; do we write or call the T.V. Station to complain? Or do we leave this up to someone else and hope that these programs will not have any harmful effects on our young people? When we fail to take action against this type of program, we are saying by our actions that we accept them.

Much of the literature that is available on our news stands in many places is nothing but filth, yet available to all ages. Sex is used in all phases of advertising to sell products from foot powder to automobiles. As long as Christian people accept this without voicing our feelings, this trend will continue. We are grateful to one of the larger drug chains in the southeast for their launching an all-out attack on the sale of indecent trashy literature. Let us pray that others will follow their example in an effort to stop this flow of trash.

We are faced with other problems that are detrimental to the growth of our churches and the dedication of our young people to Christ. One of these is that many college instructors are not truly Christian and in some cases are out and out atheists. Unless our young people are strongly grounded in the faith when they enter college, they become confused and in some cases separate completely from any church affiliation.

We ask ourselves the question, What can we do to improve the situation and eliminate some of the problems we face? Christ has the answer to these and all other problems if we are willing to pay the price; II Chronicles, chapter VII, verse 14:

"If my people, wihch are called by my name, shall humble themselves and pray, and seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways; then will I hear from heaven, and will forgive their sins, and will heal their land."

Respectfully submitted,

Richard C. Harrington

HISTORICAL REPORT

"Dynamic" seems to be the key word as we are projecting ourselves into the critical, confused and hostile moments of the last years of the 20th Century. The Dynamic Church — the Dynamic Christian — is a busy God Fearing — God Serving — God Loving church and people.

The losses and gains in our Rowan Association are still the

greatest challenges and the most far-reaching achievements we face. Much of our new organizational work for the **Dynamic 70's** is already in our hands and some changes are even now being made. Our women's work — and Baptist Men — along with the multiple organizations that go to make up our church fellowships are all making efforts to improve. Our missions work has gained in the amount of seven thousand dollars. But there was only an increase of four baptisms last year.

All the churches did have Crusade Revivals but perhaps we did not pray enough.

Calvary — Built new pavilion for recreation.

China Grove: First — The church bought a new parsonage. New minister, Rev. Bobby Seagroves, came April 20, 1969.

China Grove: South — Installed Organ and Air Conditioning.

Dunn's Mountain — Sent Pastor McSwain to Brazil for three weeks preaching mission.

Eastside — Remodeled the parsonage, proposed budget adopted and new pastor came in April.

Emmanuel — Church Auditorium air conditioned.

Enon — New building program begun in the amount of $160,000.

The church used the bond program, and all bonds were sold within four days.

Faith — Rev. Cecil K. Herrin assumed pastorate on February 9, 1969.

Franklin — Organized into a church October 1, 1968.

Gold Hill — New pews for auditorium and new pastor.

Milford Hills — December 22, 1968 — noteburning in payment of debt on original educational building — on same day, had a groundbreaking service for new sanctuary. Actual construction began on January 2, 1969, and now the new and unusual sanctuary will soon be ready for occupancy.

Needmore — Church bought additional land for building of new church.

North Main — Paid off church debt; at present church is debt free. Painted young people's department.

Oakdale Baptist — Church voted to build parsonage. Construction began in summer. Renovation of basement of church. Publication of church history in bound book form in December.

First Church of Salisbury — SS class organized for the deaf with 14 enrolled. Mr. Ken Bobo, Minister of Education, began his ministry April 1, 1969.

First Baptist: Spencer — Dedicated Educational Building.

Stallings — Parsonage constructed.

Trading Ford — Church preparing for 100th anniversary during 1970.

Wyatts Grove — Note Burning and Dedication of Educational Building.

Yadkin — Paneled Sunday School rooms, installed new heating system, brick veneered church.

Two of our fine young pastors, Victor Cole of First Church and Cecil Herrin of Faith Church, have this summer advanced themselves scholastically to Master of Divinity — M.D.V. at the Baptist Seminary in Louisville. We compliment these two young and promising pastors. Rev. Cole left on Oct. 31 for a two-week preaching mission in Canada. He will return to First Church the middle of November.

The Rev. Haden Cartner has resigned his position at Stallings Memorial and accepted a call to Western North Carolina.

Stallings Church is now in the finishing stages of a lovely pastorium in the Sherwood residential section of our city.

Our associational churches have paid up all but the last two thousand dollars on the crusade mission. Rev. Kenneth Payne has resigned as pastor and Rev. John Simpson has been called as interim pastor.

Many of our churches are renovating and remodeling their churches — building homes for pastors and adding helpful things to educational equipment. We are grateful to God for this. First Church is looking hopefully to begin a mission at Neel Estates, a residential sub-division out ten miles from the city. Many fine Baptists live in this area and they are most eager to accept the mission challenge.

Surely Rowan Association is striving to fulfill the wishes of Southern Baptist Convention and the commands of God when He tells us to study His word — then go tell.

God makes —

Snow still fall in winter,
Summer storms bring rain,
Autumn leaves fall gently,
Flowers bloom in spring.

But the souls of men are still to be sought and won — only people who belong to God — bearing forth the warm, sweet, compassionate love that only His abiding presence can give. Will we be able to bring the hearts of men to a working, living, sharing knowledge of our Christ?

Respectfully submitted,

Georgia Blalock,
Historical Chairman

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ORDAINED MINISTERS

Calvary: E. F. Eagle ..... Route 8, Salisbury 28144
Community: Archie Butts ..... Box 95, Fair Oaks, Ark. 72200
Corriher Heights: H. T. Davis ..... Route 3, China Grove 28023
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Community: George Denham, Jr. —
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Emmanuel: R. L. Morefield, Sr. —
218 S. Long Street, Salisbury 28144
Gold Hill: Larry Beaver ..... Route 2, China Grove 28023
Gold Hill: George Connell ..... Gold Hill 28071
Gold Hill: H. J. Linker ..... Gold Hill 28071
Landis: Robert A. Stedman .... Route 7, Box 66, Salisbury 28144
Landis: Charlie Holshouser —
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Milford Hills: J. Clyde Yates, Jr. .... Edgedale Drive, Salis. 28144
Rockwell: M. T. Morton ..... Route 1, Rockwell 28138
Spencer, First: George Scruggs —
198 N. Yadkin Avenue, Spencer 28159
Stallings Memorial: C. W. Kissiah, Jr. .... Route 6, Salis. 28144
West Park: Paul Huneycutt ..... Granite Quarry 28072
West Park: Fred Atkinson ..... Route 1, Rockwell 28138
West Park: Johnny Sprinkle ..... Rockwell 28138

MINISTERS LICENSED AND ORDAINED THIS YEAR

Eastside: Howard Wilkins (O) . . Route 10, Box 625, Salis. 28144
Landis: Jimmy Joe Thompson (L) .... Route 2, China Grove 28023
Rowan Mills: George Bradshaw (O) .... Route 2, Salisbury 28144
Stallings Memorial: Douglas G. Williams (L) —
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Trinity: David Sciaretta (L) ..... Gold Hill 28071

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Emmanuel: Mrs. Horace Page —
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Enon: Miss Betty McPherson ..... Route 9, Salisbury 28144
Faith: Mrs. Clyde Newton .... Route 3, Box 596, Salisbury 28144
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Calvary: .... Miss Susan Eagle, Route 8, Salisbury 28144
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Mrs. B. J. Pinyan, 608 Mitchum Street, China Grove 28023

Community:
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Dunn's Mountain:
Miss Janice Waller, Route 10, Box 622, Salisbury 28144

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Eastside: Mrs. Charles Lewis, ... Box 654, Rt. 5, Salisbury 28144

Emmanuel: Miss Vickie Reep ... 411 Rose Ave., Salisbury 28144

Emmanuel: ..... Miss Louise Smith, Granite Quarry 28071

Enon: .... Mrs. Betty Bullard, Route 9, Box 170, Salisbury 28144

Enon: ..... Linda Swicegood, Rt. 6, Box 736, Salisbury 28144

Faith: ..... Mrs. Cecil K. Herrin, P.O. Box 84, Faith 28041

Faith: ..... Miss Tana Trexler, Rt. 3, Box 962, Salisbury 28144

Franklin: ..... Mrs. Lawanda Parchment, Rt. 1, Salisbury 28144

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Gold Hill: ..... Mrs. D. L. Bame, Route 1, Gold Hill 28071

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Needmore: ..... Mrs. T. C. Hendrix, Jr., Woodleaf 27054

Needmore: ..... Miss Annie Murph, Woodleaf 27054

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Southside: ..... Linda Cope, Rose Avenue, Salisbury 28144

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Rowan Mills:
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Stallings: .... Mrs. Debbie Sutton, 225 Elm St., Salisbury 28144

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Trading Ford:
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Trinity: ..... Mrs. Ray Vess, Route 7, Box 730, Salisbury 28144

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West Corinth: ..... Miss Sheila Freeze, Rt. 3, Mooresville 28115

West Park: .. Mrs. Mae Smith, Rt. 1, Box 163-B, Rockwell 28138

West Park:
Mrs. Ruth Blanton, Rt. 2, West Park Drive, Rockwell 28138

Wyatts Grove: .. Miss Sue Beam, Rt. 1, Box 261, Richfield 28137

Yadkin: ..... Mrs. Dorothy Peacock, Route 1, Linwood 27299

Yadkin: ..... Mrs. Geralene Newton, Route 1, Linwood 27299

Oakland Heights Chapel:
Mrs. Graham Carlton, 118 N. Fulton, Salisbury 28144

Statistical Tables

TABLE A CHURCH AND MEMBERSHIP

CHURCHES	PASTORS AND ADDRESSES	Year organized as a church	Location (1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-0-)	Services held twice on Sunday? Yes or No	Total Baptisms	Other additions (by letter, statement, etc.)	Members lost (by letter, death, statement, etc.)	Present resident members	Present nonresident members	Grand total present members	No. members received from non-Baptist denom.	No. members lost to non-Baptist denominations	Value of pastor's home if owned by the church	Value of church property incl. pastor's home	Total church debt at end of this assoc. year
Calvary	None	1895	1	Yes	3		119	445	65	510		1	15,000	135,000	
Canaan	Julius D. Hogsed, Route 3, Box 910, Salisbury 28144	1960	1	Yes	14	18	9	134	8	142			11,500	33,650	18,154
China Grove: First	Bobby Seagroves, 406 W. Patterson St., China Grove 28023	1888	3	Yes	11	8	10	293	77	370	3	2	25,000	178,500	34,302
China Grove: South	Gordon Pope, 505 Haney Street, China Grove 28023	1928	3	Yes	25	12	9	218	40	258	3	1	15,000	107,000	6,850
Community	Larry C. Linker, 507 S. Iredell Ave., Spencer 28159	1950	6	Yes	3	5	6	114	42	156			15,000	35,000	17,000
Cooleemee: First	Charles P. Burchette, Box 518, Cooleemee 27014	1901	3	Yes	4	9	22	421	111	532	2	2	30,000	200,000	6,991
Corriher Heights	None	1950	2	Yes		5	13	57	46	103				40,000	
Dunn's Mountain	Ronald W. McSwain, Route 10, Box 160, Salisbury 28144	1905	2	Yes	2	18	14	300	61	361		2	10,000	195,000	
East Corinth	Bryson Bigby, Route 1, Box 175, Gold Hill 28071	1867	1	No	4	3	5	83	51	134			10,000	25,000	
East Spencer: First	Marvin Smith, Box 496, East Spencer 28039	1921	3	Yes	2	2	2	113	36	149		1	16,000	37,500	
Eastside	Howard Wilkins, Box 625, Route 10, Salisbury 28144	1953	1	Yes	1	6	4	59	20	79			12,000	32,000	4,714
Emmanuel	Joe Richards, 605 E. Cemetery Street, Salisbury 28144	1950	4	Yes	5	5	13	270	36	306		6	23,000	111,000	2,205
Enon	Luther S. Bullard, Route 9, Box 170, Salisbury 28144	1900	7	No	8	13	14	275	47	322	3	4	20,000	120,000	
Faith	Cecil K. Herrin, Box 84, Faith 28041	1898	3	Yes	16	13	6	285	46	331	5	1	17,000	206 500	24,704
Franklin	Carl Kincaid, Route 8, Salisbury 28144	1968	7	Yes	13	2		105		105				55,000	13,499
Gold Hill	D. L.. Bame, Route 1, Gold Hill 28071	1874	2	No	1	11	3	64	43	107			8,500	16,500	
Grace	Johnny R. Sheppard, 1502 Central Drive, Kannapolis 28081	1942	6	Yes	4	5	9	166	49	215	1		32,000	156,800	14,303
Landis	Dolph Robinson, P.O. Box 8, Landis 28088	1926	4	Yes	20	15	27	800	191	991		1	18,000	281,000	
Milford Hills	John T. Holland, 1300 E. Colonial Drive, Salisbury 28144	1960	7	Yes	8	39	15	311	19	330	1	6	30,000	300,000	180,000
Needmore	Wade H. James, Box 54, Woodleaf 27054	1943	1	No	1	2	2	129	44	173				41,430	
North Main Street	Ralph C. Hammett, 119 East 15th Street, Salisbury 28144	1909	5	Yes	5	8	9	279	200	479		2	26,364	118,000	
Oakdale	H. M. Hocutt, 113 Charles Street, Spencer 28159	1925	4	Yes	4	5	13	360	124	484			7,600	107,000	
Pine Ridge	Randolph Carnes, Route 2, China Grove 28023	1948	1	Yes	3	5	17	86	57	143		9	4,000	50,000	5,111
Providence	James P. Eagle, Jr., 50 Hill Street, Salisbury 28144	1960	3	Yes	2	2	4	63		63				27,000	1,400
Rockwell	C. V. Talbert, Route 3, Salisbury 28144	1906	3	No	7	5	3	150	50	200		1		61,000	
Rowan Mills	LeRoy Cooper, Route 2, Box 204, Salisbury 28144	1925	2	Yes	17	11	36	301	159	460		1	25,000	100 000	22,579
Salisbury: First	Victor G. Cole, 732 Mocksville Ave., Salisbury 28144	1849	5	Yes	23	27	42	906	164	1,070	3	9	35,000	1,000 000	141,248
Southside	Clarence Jenkins, 517 Morlan Park Road, Salisbury 28144	1942	7	Yes	13	14	9	442	87	529		2	27,000	132,000	24,200
Spencer: First	Clyde Chapman, 216 Fifth Street, Spencer 28159	1893	3	Yes	16	2	30	428	86	514	2	4	25,000	300,000	
Stallings Memorial	None	1899	5	Yes	14	19	32	687	160	847		4	35,000	300,000	
Trading Ford	Banks W. Mullis, Route 4, Salisbury 28144	1870	1	No	6	2	33	526		526	1	2	20,000	160,000	
Trinity	W. M. Dameron, 611 S. Carolina Avenue, Spencer	1944	4	Yes	11	8	13	280	63	343		2	12,000	95,000	5,276
West Corinth	Horace Moree, Route 3, Mooresville 28115	1894	1	Yes	11	6	3	220	12	232			12,000	90 000	4,579
West Park	Wayne Blanton, Route 2, Rockwell 28138	1940	1	Yes	5	14	16	138		138			17,000	75,000	23,277
Wyatts Grove	Charles Cook, Route 1, Richfield 28137	1911	1	Yes		4	3	108	23	131			11,600	50,600	
Yadkin	A. Joe Newton, Route 1, Linwood 27299	1947	2	Yes	10	6		81	77	158			12,000	20,000	
Oakland Heights Mission	John H. Simpson (Interim), Salisbury 28144		6	Yes		1	7	87	5	92				30,000	4,500
	TOTALS.....				292	330	572	9784	2299	12,083	24	63	577,564	5,022,480	554,892

TABLE B THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

CHURCHES	SUNDAY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENTS AND ADDRESSES	Nursery (under 3) enrolment	Beginners (4-5) enrolment	Primaries (6-8) enrolment	Juniors (9-12) enrolment	Intermediates (13-16) enrol.	Young People Single (17-24) enrolment	Young people married (17-24) enrolment	Adults (25-34) enrolment	Adults (35-64) enrolment	Adults (65 up) enrolment	Extension dept. enrolment	Cradle roll enrol. (Home ministry)	Young people away (17-24) enrolment	Fellowship Bible classes	General officers	Mission enrolment	Total enrolment	Average weekly attendance	No. new S.S. classes organized past year	Church V.B.S. enrolment	Mission V.B.S. enrolment	Total V.B.S. enrolment
Calvary	Melvin Harmon, Route 8, Salisbury 28144	10	10	17	31	34	18		16	73	35	19		14		5		282	137		77		77
Canaan	J. C. Lambert, Route 2, Box 341A, Rockwell 28138	8	9	13	19	22	15	14	15	17						2		134	83		87		87
China Grove: First	Fred Beard, 411 W. Patterson Street, China Grove 28023	15	11	25	30	29	6	7		131		26	2	5		5		292	163	1	79		79
China Grove: South	Bobby Talbert, Box 243, China Grove 28023	7	12	15	23	20	13		12	50	7	4		3		3		169	87		97		97
Community	Kyle Poteat, 1325 Hillsboro St., Salisbury 28144	10	10	8	13	12	7			15	8			1		3	82	169	120		50		50
Cooleemee: First	Ray Jordan, Box 423, Cooleemee 27014	17	12	30	45	47	26	13	27	133	38	15		9		3		415	179		68		68
Corriher Heights	Max L. Vanderburg, Route 2, Box 470-A, China Grove 28023	2	2	5	6	13	1	7		11						4		51	25		39		39
Dunn's Mountain	James L. McCoy, Route 10, Box 176, Salisbury 28144	24	25	26	24	27	25	15	30	92	17	10	2	17		5		339	163	1	135		135
East Corinth	Coy L. Morgan, 1011 Rosemary Avenue, Kannapolis 28081	8	6	8	15	12		8		15	10			5		6		93	58		47		47
East Spencer: First	Spurgeon Huneycutt, Box 25, East Spencer 28039	1	10	6	18	13	16	5	11	45	1			2		3		131	68		55		55
Eastside	W. A. Livengood, Route 10, Box 667, Salisbury 28144	10	7	7	9	6	7	5	11	6	3					3		74	35		44		44
Emmanuel	James Lanning, 816 E. Franklin Street, Salisbury 28144	7	7	15	17	10	21	10	32	54		7		3		4		187	92		70		70
Enon	C. G. Wise, Route 9, Box 249, Salisbury 28144	24	16	31	38	21	23		50	62		6	4			3		278	177		119		119
Faith	Duard L. Gardner, Box 111, Faith 28041	29	20	27	42	32	22	16	18	72	30	18				5		331	168		103		103
Franklin	Henry Rainey, Jr., Route 8, Box 120H, Salisbury 28144	14	9	17	25	9	3			46						4		127	75		71		71
Gold Hill	Henry Dunnaway, Route 3, Salisbury 28144	3	12	5	8	7	14			26								75	30		20		20
Grace	F. M. Stowe, 811 Carolyn Avenue, Kannapolis 28081	7	8	13	13	18			6	29	1					2		97	49		82		82
Landis	James Chapman, Route 1, Box 126-A, China Grove 28023	26	47	43	60	57	13	46	70	120	25	11	1			12		531	393		173		173
Milford Hills	Bryan Merrill, Route 6, Westmont, Salisbury 28144	41	34	33	53	33	11	25	51	70	3	6		5		3		368	159	1	107		107
Needmore	Ronda Saine, Route 1, Woodleaf 27054	4	9	13	13	16	14		13	42	16					5		145	99		83		83
North Main Street	Howard Hilliard, 502 E. Lafayette Street, Salisbury 28144	12	7	20	23	20	10		24	46	24	12				3		201	106		61		61
Oakdale	Paul Hinkle, Box 191, Spencer 28159	16	13	19	27	44		27	23	87	45					3		304	176		84		84
Pine Ridge	Bobby Scercy, Route 2, China Grove 28023	4	6	7	16	12	7	25		26						3		106	65		51		51
Providence	Ernest Lowman, Earnhardt Street, East Spencer 28039	4	3	1	5	4	2	2	5	15	5			1		2		49	25		35		35
Rockwell	David Boger, Route 1, Box 17, Rockwell 28138	11	16	9	20	21	9	10	10	31	28					3		168	104	1	63		63
Rowan Mills	Porter Brinkley, 2031 North Park Drive, Salisbury 28144	8	6	15	28	12	11		16	70				1		6		173	105		104		104
Salisbury: First	Charles Hellard, 2010 Rosemont, Salisbury 28144	59	38	51	54	92	71	8	123	213	90	94	3	57		7		960	410	1	203	59	262
Southside	Charles Evans, Route 2, Stoneybrook, Salisbury 28144	15	8	24	30	20	16	7	40	40	6					3		209	155		202		202
Spencer: First	W. S. Baker, 306 N. Yadkin Avenue, Spencer 28159	18	10	22	35	40	39		38	109		20	17	14		3		365	122		70		70
Stallings Memorial	Burton C. Barringer, Jr., 230 Bellevue Road, Salisbury 28144	42	33	45	70	86	35	53	77	106	70	20		21		6		664	332		210		210
Trading Ford	L. W. Young, Route 4, Box 716, Salisbury 28144	28	18	22	25	33	20	14		149		11				4		324	195		130		130
Trinity	T. R. Wise, 1009 Fourth Street, Spencer 28159	11	19	22	30	28	21	27	17	47	24	10	3			4		263	114		90		90
West Corinth	James Miller, Route 3, Box 300, Mooresville 28115	16	15	14	23	16	18	18	19	36						4		179	102		72		72
West Park	Ben Patterson, Route 1, Rockwell 28138	14	9	10	17	32		19	37									138	112		141		141
Wyatts Grove	W. M. Morgan, Route 1, Gold Hill 28071	5	6	6	5	3	4		11	17						5		62			37		37
Yadkin	Fred Koontz, Route 1, Linwood 27299		16	15	16	8	14	14	26			31		4		4		148			100		100
Oakland Hts. Mission	Clyde Lipe, 1325 Longview Ave., Salisbury 28144	2	11	7	11		13		12	9						6		71	25		57		57
	TOTALS	532	510	666	937	909	545	395	840	2,110	486	320	32	162		146	82	8,672		5	3,316	59	3,375

TABLE C TRAINING UNION

CHURCHES	TRAINING UNION DIRECTORS AND ADDRESSES	Nursery (3 or under) enrol.	Beginners (4-5) enrolment	Primaries (6-8) enrolment	Juniors (9-12) enrolment	Intermediates (13-16) enrol.	Young people single (17-24) enrolment	Young people married (17-24) enrolment	Adults (25-34) enrolment	Adults (35-64) enrolment	Adults (65 up) enrolment	General officers	Mission enrolment	Total ongoing enrolment	Ongoing average weekly total attendance	Number of new unions organized past year	New member orientation-cum. enrollment	Church leader training-cum. enrol.	Member training projects-cum. enrol.	Grand total ongoing & cum. enrol.
Calvary	Mrs. Faye Hilliard, Route 8, Salisbury 28144			3	13	15				15		3		49	24					49
Canaan	None																			
China Grove: First	Franklin Scarborough, 905 Klondale Ave., China Grove 28023	1	3	4	7	16	8		2	18		4		63	39					63
China Grove: South	None																			
Community	None																			
Cooleemee: First	None																			
Corriher Heights	None																			
Dunn's Mountain	S. A. Mayfield, Route 10, Box 211, Salisbury 28144	3	8	5	11	14	17			13	7	4		82	49	3		13		95
East Corinth	J. D. Goodman, Route 1, Box 171, Gold Hill 28071		4	5	5	10				4		3		31	24					31
East Spencer: First	Miss Peggy Benfield, Box 1025, Salisbury 28144		1	2	3	5	5			7	2	2		27	17					27
Eastside	John Brady, Route 5, Salisbury 28144	6	4	6	4	3	3	2	3	5		3		39	19					39
Emmanuel	David E. Poole, Route 8, Box 500, Salisbury 28144		3	6	8	4	12		14			4		51	31					51
Enon	Harold Cartner, Route 1, Box 176A, Woodleaf	11	2	9	11	15			10	26		2		86	46		8			94
Faith	J. C. Eagle, Route 3, Box 150, Salisbury 28144	2	2	2	14	17	8			19	2	3		69	34					69
Franklin	Tommy Petty, Sherrill Ford Rd., Salisbury 28144	4	4	6	8	8			5	7		3		45	16					45
Gold Hill	None																			
Grace	Johnny Sullivan, 1108 E. 13th, Kannapolis 28081			4	6	5				7		1		23	9	1				23
Landis	Steve Rollins, 1002 Robin Hood Lane, Kannapolis	4	7	7	17	16	10	20	22	3				106	85					106
Milford Hills	None	8	12	15	22	15			20	15	2			109	55		15	5	10	129
Needmore	None																			
North Main Street	Mrs. Ben Braswell, 1701 Fourth Street, Salisbury 28144	2	2	2	12	6	3			17	8	3		55	26					55
Oakdale	Harold Lingle, 118 Herman Street, Spencer 28159			4	6	12	10			18		3		53	28				40	93
Pine Ridge	Winford Patterson, Route 2, China Grove 28023			3	4	3	6	8		8		2		34	30					34
Providence	Howard Lowman, Earnhardt Street, East Spencer 28039	3	2	1	4	4	1	1	4	6	2	1		29						29
Rockwell	E. Maners, Route 5, Salisbury 28144				4	14			15	4	4	3		44	20					44
Rowan Mills	Bill Raymer, Route 2, Box 381, Salisbury 28144				4	2				8		3		17						17
Salisbury: First	E. H. Ballard, Route 6, Box 289, Salisbury 28144	10	8	10	15	44			37			4		128	60					128
Southside	None																			
Spencer: First	George Scruggs, 198 N. Yadkin Avenue, Spencer 28159				4	12			24	9		1		50			14			64
Stallings Memorial	Mrs. Relina Humphrey, 408 Heilig Avenue, Salisbury 28144	4	1	7	12	13	26			29		4		96	57			13		109
Trading Ford	Ronald G. Queen, Route 4, Salisbury 28144	3	4	4	6	8	4			11		2		42	25					42
Trinity	Lonnie Goodman, 608 Carolina Blvd., Salisbury 28144		5	6	6	6	6		18	11		3		61	38					61
West Corinth	None																			
West Park	None																			
Wyatts Grove	None																			
Yadkin	None																			
Oakland Heights Mission	None			5	8					9				22						22
TOTALS		61	72	116	214	267	119	31	174	269	27	61		1,411	732	4	37	31	50	1,519

TABLE D MUSIC MINISTRY

CHURCHES	MUSIC DIRECTORS AND ADDRESSES	Beginners (4-5) enrolment	Primaries (6-8) enrolment	Juniors (9-12) enrolment	Intermediates (13-16) enrol.	Young people single & married enrolment	Adults enrolment	Vocal ensembles	Instrumental ensembles	General officers	Total enrolment	Average weekly attendance	No. choirs, ensembles, etc. organized past yr.
Calvary	Mrs. Ed. Russell, Route 8, Salisbury 28144			4	3	7	8				22	8	
Canaan	J. B. Hinson, Route 11, Box 842, Salisbury 28144												
China Grove: First	Mrs. L. B. Thomas, Box 6, China Grove 28023					10	15				25	13	
China Grove: South	W. C. Abernathy, Route 11, Box 255, Salisbury 28144			15	6	2	18	1	1	1	42	25	
Community	Roy F. Daugherty, Route 2, China Grove 28023	4	4	6	2	4	10	2			30	30	
Cooleemee: First	None			20			25				45	35	
Corriher Heights	Mrs. Pauline Harkey, Box 616, Landis 28088												
Dunn's Mountain	Don Livengood, Route 10, Box 225, Salisbury 28144 (Asst.)		6	15	18	15	12			4	70	30	
East Corinth	J. D. Goodman, Route 1, Box 171, Gold Hill 28071			2	4	4	9			2	21	18	
East Spencer: First	None					1	11				12	10	
Eastside	Miss Betty Freeman, Box 618, Route 10, Salisbury 28144				1	2	10	1		4	17	8	1
Emmanuel	None					25		2		3	28	12	
Enon	Arnold Poteat, Route 9, Box 27, Salisbury 28144	9	27	10			15			5	66	30	
Faith	Barry Lefler, Route 7, Box 866, Salisbury 28144 (Asst.)		20				32				52		
Franklin	Henry Rainey, Jr., Route 8, Box 120H, Salisbury 28144			19			10			3	32	15	1
Gold Hill	Mrs. Ruth Hatchell, Route 2, Gold Hill 28071												
Grace	ohnny Sullivan, 1108 E. 13th, Kannapolis 28081						14			1	15	12	
Landis	Elmer Thomas Phipps, 409 W. Meritt Avenue, Salisbury 28144				12	55					67	55	
Milford Hills	Jack Thomas, 405 Gold Hill Drive, Salisbury 28144	12	15	22	8						57		
Needmore	Mrs. R. C. West, Route 1, Box 64, Woodleaf 27054												
North Main Street	Mrs. B. W. Hendrix, Route 6, Salisbury 28144		6	15			25			3	49	25	
Oakdale	Dr. Marvin Wigginton, Catawba College, Salisbury 28144					8	16				24	16	
Pine Ridge	Mrs. Lee Crawford, Route 2, China Grove 28023			12		13					25	18	
Providence	None												
Rockwell	Wentworth Beck, Box 172, Faith 28041				10	4	15			3	32	25	
Rowan Mills	Carl C. Doby, 517 Heilig Avenue, East Spencer 28039			2	5		18				25	25	
Salisbury: First	Mrs. R. M. Gregory, 617 Catawba Road, Salisbury 28144	15	20	25	20	10	18			7	115	70	1
Southside	Donnie Black, Route 5, Salisbury 28144												
Spencer: First	Miss Lucille Epperson, Catawba College, Salisbury 28144			17			24				41		
Stallings Memorial	Charles R. Bolden, Route 1, Box 283, Salisbury 28144				15	12	39	1		2	68	30	2
Trading Ford	Edwin E. Koontz, Route 4, Salisbury 28144					10	24			5	39	20	
Trinity	Ray Vess, Route 7, Box 730, Salisbury 28144	8	6	10	9	27				4	64	35	
West Corinth	James Miller, Route 3, Box 300, Mooresville 28115					7	17	2	2		24	18	
West Park	Paul Huneycutt, Granite Quarry 28072												
Wyatts Grove	Herman File, Route 4, Box 111, Salisbury 28144		1	4		4	13				22	15	
Yadkin	Tommy Lanning, Box 1100, Salisbury 28144			5	5		20				30		
Oakland Heights Mission	Grover Miller, Route 10, Salisbury 28144												
	TOTALS	48	105	203	118	220	418	9	3	47	1,159		6

TABLE E BROTHERHOOD WORK

CHURCHES	DIRECTORS OF MEN'S BROTHERHOODS AND ADDRESSES	Crusaders (9-11) chapters	Crusaders (9-11) enrolment	Pioneers (12-14) chapters	Pioneers (12-14) enrolment	Ambassadors (15-17) chapters	Ambassadors (15-17) enrol.	Ungraded RA chapters	Ungraded RA chapters enrol.	Total RA chapters	Total RA enrolment	Baptist Men enrolment	Total men enrolled	Total enrolment
Calvary	None	1	4	1	5	1	12			3	21	12	12	33
Canaan	None							1	7	1	7			7
China Grove: First	Harold Thompson, Box 156, China Grove 28023							1	16	1	16	36	36	52
China Grove: South	W. C. Abernathy, Route 11, Box 255, Salisbury 28144													
Community	Bill H. Peeler, 321 Calhoun St., Salisbury 28144											12	12	12
Cooleemee: First	None	1	15							1	15			15
Corriher Heights	None													
Dunn's Mountain	Don Livengood, Route 10, Box 225, Salisbury 28144			1	15					1	15	25	25	40
East Corinth	None													
East Spencer: First	None													
Eastside	None													
Emmanuel	Richard L. Morefield, Sr., 218 S. Long St., Salisbury 28144	1	9	1	8					2	17	20	20	41
Enon	Carl Wright, Route 2, Box 14, Cleveland							1	17	1	17	30	30	47
Faith	Jim Holshouser, Faith 28041	1	4	1	4					2	8	35	35	43
Franklin	Harold Hamilton, Route 1, Box 643, Salisbury 28144	1	9			1	5			2	14	15	15	29
Gold Hill	None													
Grace	None	1	3	1	5					2	8			8
Landis	James Chapman, Route 1, Box 126-A, China Grove 28023	1	6		8		1			1	15	23	23	38
Milford Hills	None	1	12	1	8					2	20	28	28	48
Needmore	None					1	8			1	8			8
North Main Street	None													
Oakdale	W. E. Haltom, Box 105, Spencer 28159											20	20	20
Pine Ridge	E. L. Morgan, Route 2, China Grove 28023											10	10	10
Providence	Howard Lowman, Earnhardt Street, East Spencer 28039											4	4	4
Rockwell	O. T. Medley, Box 125, Rockwell 28138	1	4			1	4			2	8	14	14	22
Rowan Mills	None													
Salisbury: First	M. C. Byrum, 1034 Rowan Circle, Salisbury 28144	1	13	1	10					2	23	74	74	97
Southside	None							1	15	1	15			15
Spencer: First	J. M. Crowell, Jr., 1001 4th Street, Spencer 28159											20	20	20
Stallings Memorial	C. Reuben Hellard, 1931 Rosemont, Salisbury 28144	1	11	1	14	1	8			3	33	30	30	63
Trading Ford	W. H. Snider, Route 4, Salisbury 28144											35	35	35
Trinity	Harold D. Hughes, Route 6, Box 621, Salisbury 28144	1	9							1	9	17	17	26
West Corinth	James Miller, Route 3, Box 300, Mooresville 28115	1	2		14		2			1	18	21	21	39
West Park	Edgar Canupp, 342 Chestnut Street, Kannapolis 28081											14	14	14
Wyatts Grove	None													
Yadkin	George Mahala, Route 1, Linwood 27299											12	12	12
Oakland Heights Mission	None													
	TOTALS	13	101	8	91	5	40	4	55	30	287	507	507	798

TABLE F WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

CHURCHES	WMU PRESIDENTS AND ADDRESSES	Sunbeam Nursery organizations	Sunbeam Nursery enrolment	Beginner Sunbeam Band organizations	Beginner Sunbeam Band enrolment	Primary Sunbeam Band orgs.	Primary Sunbeam Band enrolment	Ungraded Sunbeam Band orgs.	Ungraded Sunbeam Band enrolment	Junior GA org.	Junior GA enrol.	Intermediate GA organizations	Intermediate GA enrolment	Ungraded GA organizations	Ungraded GA enrol.	High school YWA orgs.	High school YWA enrolment	Ungraded YWA organizations	Ungraded YWA enrolment	WMS organizations	WMS enrolment	Grand total organ.	Grand total enrolment	No. mission study groups	No. mission prayer groups	No. mission action groups
Calvary	None							1	15	1	14	1	8					1	12	1	10	5	59			
Canaan	Mrs. J. D. Hogsed, Route 3, Box 910, Salisbury 28144							1	6	1	8	1	7					1	8	1	22	5	51			
China Grove: First	Mrs. R. R. Hunter, Route 3, Box 35, China Grove 28023							2	23	1	3	1	6					1	3	1	33	6	68	1	1	1
China Grove: South	Mrs. Bobby Talbert, Box 243, China Grove 28023																			1	23	1	23			
Community	Mrs. H. W. Arthurs, Route 11, Box 777, Salisbury 28144													1	9					1	12	2	21			
Cooleemee: First	Mrs. Frank Seders, Box 142, Cooleemee 27014							1	15	2	22	1	10			1	8			1	25	6	80	2	1	1
Corriher Heights	Mrs. Carlene Crouch, Route 3, China Grove 28023											1	23							1	20	2	43			
Dunn's Mountain	Mrs. S. A. Mayfield, Route 10, Box 211, Salisbury 28144	1	8	1	20	1	20			1	13	1	12					1	9	1	18	7	100		1	1
East Corinth	Mrs. Freda Goodman, Route 1, Box 178, Gold Hill 28071							1	5	1	9									1	9	3	23			
East Spencer: First	Mrs. W. L. Vincent, Box 191, Spencer 28159			1	5	1	7			1	5	1	7							1	23	5	47	1	1	1
Eastside	Mrs. Clyde Goodman, Route , Box , Salisbury 28144																			1	10	1	10			
Emmanuel	Mrs. Anna Harrelson, Route 10, Box 571, Salisbury 28144							1	6	1	5	1	7			1	10			1	20	5	48	1	1	1
Enon	None							1	40					1	20					3	43	5	103	2	1	
Faith	Mrs. Floyd Crowell, Route 3, Box 478, Salisbury 28144		8	1	8	1	13			2	16	1	12					1	14	2	79	8	150	2	1	1
Franklin	Mrs. Thelma Grubb, Route 1, Salisbury 28144	1	3	1	4	1	4			1	12									1	14	5	37	2	2	2
Gold Hill	None																									
Grace	Mary Fletcher, 504 E. 10th, Kannapolis 28081							1	3					1	11					1	12	3	26	1		
Landis	Mrs. Mary Helms, Route 2, Box 132-C, Rockwell 28138	1	4	1	13	1	13			1	17	1	10							1	64	6	121		3	3
Milford Hills	Mrs. Margaret Lindsay, 1259 E. Colonial Drive, Salisbury 28144			1	8	1	10			1	15	1	8							1	20	5	61	1	1	1
Needmore	Mrs. Wade H. James, Route 1, Woodleaf 27054			1	10	1	8							1	14					1	25	4	57	1		
North Main Street	Mrs. A. L. Collins, 313 N. Boundary Street, Salisbury 28144			1	3	1	2			1	10	1	2					1	7	1	33	6	62	1	1	1
Oakdale	Mrs. W. L. Noles, Route 4, Box 756, Salisbury 28144			1	4	1	10			1	7	1	11					1	10	1	89	6	131	2	3	2
Pine Ridge	Mrs. Lee Crawford, Route 2, China Grove 28023			1	17					1	3	1	3							1	16	4	39	1	1	1
Providence	Mrs. Josie Beckom, Shaver Street, East Spencer 28039																			1	10	1	10			
Rockwell	Mrs. Celeste Shue, Route 3, Salisbury 28144									1	8	1	6							1	8	3	22			
Rowan Mills	Mrs. Bill Gaskey, Route 2, Box 389, Salisbury 28144							1	11	1	6	1	6							1	6	4	29			
Salisbury: First	Mrs. Charles Hellard, 2010 Rosemont, Salisbury 28144	1	15	2	18	2	16			2	17	1	13			1	12			1	85	10	176	5	1	5
Southside	Mrs. J. B. Simpson, Route 3, Box 44, Salisbury 28144							1	11	1	12	1	13							1	34	4	70	1	1	1
Spencer: First	Mrs. J. C. Scruggs, 198 N. Yadkin Avenue, Spencer 28159							1	15	1	12									1	70	3	97	4	1	1
Stallings Memorial	Mrs. James C. Elium, Route 5, Box 59, Salisbury 28144	1	4	1	9	1	9	1	8	1	12	2	20					1	11	1	91	9	164	7	1	2
Trading Ford	Mrs. Banks W. Mullis, Route 4, Salisbury 28144	3	33							1	9	1	6			1	4			1	30	7	82			
Trinity	Mrs. W. M. Dameron, 611 S. Carolina Ave., Spencer 28159					1	5			1	7	1	6			1	4			1	40	5	62	1	1	1
West Corinth	Mrs. Roy W. Coone, Route 3, Box 320, Mooresville 28115							1	10	1	7		3							1	15	3	35			1
West Park	Mrs. Z. V. Johnson, Route 3, Salisbury 28144																			1	13	1	13			
Wyatts Grove	None																									
Yadkin	Mrs. C. L. Wilkerson, Box 1100, Salisbury 28144													1	10					1	20	2	30			
Oakland Heights Mission	None							1	8	1	13	1	5				5			1	12	4	43			
TOTALS		8	75	13	119	13	117	15	176	28	262	23	204	5	64	5	43	8	74	38	1,059	156	2,193	36	23	27

TABLE G TOTAL RECEIPTS, LOCAL EXPENDITURES, AND STEWARSHIP INFORMATION

CHURCHES	CHAIRMEN OF DEACONS AND ADDRESSES	Total tithes, offerings, and special gifts other than money	All other receipts	Total receipts	Pastor's salary (actually spent)	Other church staff salaries	Money paid out on new construction last year	Debt retirement	All other expenditures	Total local expenditures
Calvary	Ed. Russell, Route 8, Salisbury 28144	29,354		29,354	5,405	2,578	2,854		7,586	18,423
Canaan	1. B. Hinson, Route 11, Box 842, Salisbury 28144	11,064	780	11,844	2,600			1,944	831	5 375
China Grove: First	Winfry Whicker, Box 598, China Grove 28023	33,965		33 965	5,499	3,764		6,370	10,383	26,016
China Grove: South	Bobby Talbert, Box 243, China Grove 28023	15,624		15,624	5,980	1,080	3,242		4,093	14,395
Community	Roy F. Daugherty, Route 2, China Grove 28023	10,700		10,700	5,200	470	1,000	1,664	1,412	9,746
Cooleemee: First	Ward Setzer, Box 635, Cooleemee 27014	38,489		38,489	6,200	5,488		4,639	11,205	27,532
Corriher Heights	None	4,452		4,452	2,080	490		852		3,422
Dunn's Mountain	James L. McCoy, Route 10, Box 176, Salisbury 28144	25,730	913	26,643	5,200	3,423			9,370	17,993
East Corinth	Coy L. Morgan, 1011 Rosemary Ave., Kannapolis 28081	8,405		8,405	4,420	360			4,202	8,982
East Spencer: First	J. W. Bean, Route 4, Box 485, Salisbury 28144	8,442		8,442	4,160	550	400		2,240	7,350
Eastside	Jimmy Beck, Route 5, Box 654, Salisbury 28144	4,468		4,468	2,080	208		400	1,115	3,803
Emmanuel	Wayne Harrelson, Route 10, Box 571, Salisbury 28144	24,245		24,245	6,400	1,040	1,640	3,602	5,988	18,670
Enon	Ned J. Norris, 1824 Statesville Blvd., Salisbury 28144	32,039	5,093	37,132	6,500	3,484			28,793	38,777
Faith	J. C. Eagle, Route 3, Box 150, Salisbury 28144	36,334		36,334	6,284	1,620		5,635	11,934	25,473
Franklin	Roy Parchment, Route 1, Salisbury 28144	14,626		14,626	3,445	610		3,038	4,458	11,551
Gold Hill	Wayne Taylor, Route 1, Mt. Ulla 28125	5,672		5,672	2,460	525	2,411		2,452	7,848
Grace	Richard Harrington, 1203 China Grove Rd., Kannapolis 28081	13,988		13,988	990	1,875		3,354	7,362	13,581
Landis	C. C. Fain, Route 2, China Grove 28023	76,702		76,702	8,514	10,337	2,990		31,856	53,697
Milford Hills	Bryan Merrill, Route 6, Westmont, Salisbury 28144	34,534	6,576	41,110	7,200	2,105	80,951	14,261	7,288	111,805
Needmore	Brady Seamon, Box 72, Cleveland 27013	14,257		14,257	4,680	240	1,025		6,328	12,273
North Main Street	J. H. Brower, 202 East 13th Street, Salisbury 28144	24,353		24,353	5,222	2,340		5,358	6,719	19,639
Oakdale	W. H. Wilson, Route 1, Box 373, Linwood 27299	33,182		33,182	7,280	3,427	1,875		13,217	25,799
Pine Ridge	Bobby Scercy, Route 2, China Grove 28023	13,263		13,263	4,178	843	1,472	1,164	2,773	10,430
Providence	None	2,817		2,817	1,060	85		1,080	522	2,747
Rockwell	O. T. Medley, Box 125, Rockwell 28138	14,711	780	15,491	5,400	1,169		783	350	7,702
Rowan Mills	L. J.. Miller, 418 E. Depot Street, East Spencer 28039	20,102		20,102	5,400	1,040		5,635	6,006	18,081
Salisbury: First	Dave Clay, 1718 Colony Road, Salisbury 28144	135,631		135,631	9,450	26,033		42,912	42,088	120,483
Southside	James Black, Route 3, Box 65, Salisbury 28144	24,000		24,000	6,060	1,200	5,045	4,800	5,253	22,358
Spencer: First	James Eagle, Jr., Box 225, Spencer 28159	37,554		37,554	7,789	6,898	34	7,800	6,195	28,716
Stallings Memorial	Charles E. Summers, 901 Richard Street, Salisbury 28144	65,679		65,679	8,580	7,940	15,000		22,046	53,566
Trading Ford	A. T. Koontz, Route 4, Salisbury 28144	39,872		39,872	7,950	3,870			16,139,	27,959
Trinity	T. R. Wise, 1009 Fourth Street, Spencer 28159	18,624		18,624	5,652	1,112	2,551	888	3,401	13 604
West Corinth	Roy W. Coone, Route 3, Box 320, Mooresville 28115	22,290		22,290	5,980		3,927	4,300	4,496	18,703
West Park	Jack B. Johnson, Box 123, Granite Quarry 28072	13,522		13,522	5,200	970		1,903	3,585	11,658
Wyatts Grove	Hubert File, Route 5, Box 511, Salisbury 28144	5,500		5,500	3,900	600			496	4,996
Yadkin	Tommy Lanning, Box 1100, Salisbury 28144	11,117		11,117	5,070	340	3,180		2,598	11,188
Oakland Heights Mission	None	6,856		6,856	2,400	48		1,717	2,346	6,511
	TOTALS	932,163	14,142	946,305	191,868	98,162	129,597	124,099	297,023	840,852

TABLE H SPECIAL INFORMATION

CHURCHES	TREASURERS AND ADDRESSES	Does church participate in annuity for pastor? Yes or No	Pastor's annual salary	Recreation	Stewardship	Christian Life	History	Missions	Public Relations	Christian Education	Ch. Music Council	Youth Week	State paper in budget	Ch. Council/Cabinet	Library	Radio Ministry	Bapt. Col. & Sem. Day	Bapt. Men's Day	Filmstrip Projector	Motion Pic. Projector
Calvary	Mrs. Frances McGarity, Route 1, Box 604, Salisbury 28144	Yes	6,000	*							*	*		*	*		*	*		
Canaan	Lawrence Watts, P.O. Box 144, Faith 28041	No	2,600																	
China Grove: First	Sam May, Jr., Box 105, China Grove 28023	Yes	6,804	*	*			*				*		*	*			*	*	*
China Grove: South	B. J. Pinyan, 608 Mitchum Avenue, China Grove 28023	Yes	5,980										*					*		
Community	Roy F. Daugherty, Route 2, China Grove 28023	No	5,200												*				*	
Cooleemee: First	Robert W. Jordan, Box 365, Cooleemee 27014	Yes	6,200									*	*	*					*	*
Corriher Heights	Mrs. Ruby Cook, Route 3, Box 151, China Grove 28023	No	2,080																	
Dunn's Mountain	S. A. Mayfield, Route 10, Box 211, Salisbury 28144	Yes	5,200	*	*		*		*	*		*		*	*			*	*	*
East Corinth	J. D. Goodman, Route 1, Box 171, Gold Hill 28071	Yes	4,420	*																
East Spencer: First	J. W. Bean, Route 4, Box 485, Salisbury 28144	Yes	4,160									*								
Eastside	Jimmy Beck, Route 5, Box 654, Salisbury 28144	Yes	2,080																	
Emmanuel	Richard Eller, Box 594, Salisbury 28144	Yes	6,400									*		*	*			*	*	*
Enon	Linda Swicegood, Route 6, Box 736, Salisbury 28144	Yes	6,500	*							*	*	*	*	*			*	*	*
Faith	J. C. Eagle, Route 3, Box 150, Salisbury 28144	Yes	7,350									*		*	*		*	*	*	*
Franklin	Thelma Morgan, Route 1, Box 677, Salisbury 28144	No	4,219											*	*			*		
Gold Hill	Harry L. Beaver, Route 2, Box 419-A, China Grove 28023	No	2,600																	
Grace	ames Hubbard, 608 W. 8th, Kannapolis 28081	Yes	5,200		*								*							
Landis	Herman Rutledge, Route 2, Box 107-F, Kannapolis 28081	Yes	7,214									*				*				
Milford Hills	James Edwards, 137 Milford Drive, Salisbury 28144	Yes	7,200		*		*			*	*	*		*	*		*		*	
Needmore	J. L. Hensley, Route 1, Box 63A, Woodleaf 27054	Yes	4,680	*			*													
North Main Street	J. H. Brower, 202 E. 14th Street, Salisbury 28144	Yes	5,222										*	*						
Oakdale	J. C. Coppley, 115 Charles Street, Spencer 28159	Yes	7,280	*			*					*			*		*	*	*	*
Pine Ridge	Norman Valentine, 102 West 18th Street, Kannapolis 28081	Yes	5,200									*			*			*		
Providence	Miss Nora Poteat, Box 427, East Spencer 28039	No	1,300																	
Rockwell	Wentworth Beck, Box 172, Faith 28041	No	5,400	*	*	*							*		*		*	*		
Rowan Mills	Arnold Beck, 1227 Bell Street, Salisbury 28144	Yes	5,720																	
Salisbury: First	Paul Angell, Box 764, Salisbury 28144	Yes	9,600	*							*	*	*	*	*	*		*	*	*
Southside	Charles Evans, Route 2, Stoneybrook, Salisbury 28144	Yes	6,060									*				*				
Spencer: First	A. A. Lomax, Fifth Street Extension, Spencer 28159	Yes	7,789												*		*	*	*	*
Stallings Memorial	Charles E. Summers, 901 Richard Street, Salisbury 28144	Yes	8,580	*	*		*	*		*	*	*		*	*		*	*	*	*
Trading Ford	Elon F. Massey, Route 4, Box 1711, Salisbury 28144	Yes	8,320								*	*			*				*	
Trinity	Mrs. Ray Vess, Route 7, Box 730, Salisbury 28144	Yes	5,652	*								*	*	*				*		
West Corinth	Roy Coone, Route 3, Box 320, Mooresville 28115	No	5,980								*		*	*	*			*	*	
West Park	Jack B. Johnson, Box 123, Granite Quarry 28072	No	5,200													*				
Wyatts Grove	Hubert File, Route 5, Box 511, Salisbury 28144	No	3,900									*		*						
Yadkin	Mrs. Elon Dennis, Route 1, Linwood 27299	No	5,070																	
Oakland Heights Mission	Grover Miller, Route 10, Salisbury 28144	No	1,560																	
	TOTALS		199,920																	

TABLE I MISSION EXPENDITURES

CHURCHES	CLERKS OF CHURCHES AND ADDRESSES	Cooperative Program	Associational Missions Program	Designated: State missions	Designated: SBC Home Missions	Designated: SBC Foreign Missions	Designated: Christian educ.	Designated: children's homes	Designated: hospitals	Designated: homes for the aged	Designated: all other	Total mission expenditures
Calvary	Frank Sides, Route 8, Box 162, Salisbury 28144	4,746	625	138	313	2,844	75	329	254	93	85	9,502
Canaan	Mrs. J. D. Hogsed, Route 3, Box 910, Salisbury 28144	28			261	276		130	34			729
China Grove: First	Mrs. Lewis H. Winecoff, Route 3, Box 70-E, China Grove 28023	4,535	597	54	156	482	109		82	109	46	6,170
China Grove: South	Mrs. W. C. Abernathy, Route 11, Box 255, Salisbury 28144	900	240	51	44	162		92	100		42	1,631
Community	Mrs. George Denham, Jr., 111 Seventh St., Spencer 28159	664	167		23	25		25			50	954
Cooleemee: First	Mrs. Dave Cover, Box 36, Cooleemee 27014	7,681	679	50	767	1,550		100	105		25	10,957
Corriher Heights	Mrs. Shirley Vanderburg, Route 2, Box 470-A, China Grove 28023			34								34
Dunn's Mountain	Don Livengood, Route 10, Box 225, Salisbury 28144	2,586	601	229	452	1,405	306	347	200	205	150	6,481
East Corinth	Mrs. Irene A. Morgan, Route 1, Box 154, Gold Hill 28071	420	200	6	12	16			15	10		679
East Spencer: First	Mrs. Richard C. Gobble, Route 8, Box 994, Salisbury 28144	709	110	40	58	106	26	25	40	20	16	1,150
Eastside	Mrs. Bernard Trexler, Route 5, Box 632, Salisbury 28144	380		5	12	148		105	11			661
Emmanuel	Mrs. Lillie Messick, 525-A Park Avenue, Salisbury 28144	3,390	454	56	293	1,000	6	46	50	18	677	5,990
Enon	Margaret Kirby, Route 9, Box 248, Salisbury 28144	3,400	400	52	246	1,000		500	99	13	232	5,942
Faith	W. J. Ritchie, Box 82, Faith 28041	9,000	540	100	250	928		143				10,961
Franklin	Mrs. Margie Shoaf, Route 9, Box 613, Salisbury 28144	1,659	104	50	115	323		75	50	1		2,377
Gold Hill	Wayne Taylor, Route 1, Mt. Ulla 28125	16	35	6				15	40	11	12	135
Grace	Mrs. Gene E. Walker, Bethpage Circle, Kannapolis 28081	183	46					76			50	355
Landis	Darrell L. Spry, 500 Forest Avenue, Kannapolis 28081		440		100	3,170		1050			1200	5,960
Milford Hills	Wayne Goode, 1714 Bellvue, Salisbury 28144	1,510	200	49	165	652	25	19	19	25	353	3,017
Needmore	Miss Gladys Safriet, Route 1, Box 64, Woodleaf 27054	752	184		15	131		37	15	6		1,140
North Main Street	Mrs. W. R. Davis, 305 N. Milford Drive, Salisbury 28144	2,289	375	112	200	425	10	142	83	87	84	3,807
Oakdale	Miss Frances Easter, 505 N. Yadkin Avenue, Spencer 28159	3,205	610	350	272	1,601	285	1161	264	78	494	8,320
Pine Ridge	Mrs. Madeline Valentine, 102 West 18th St., Kannapolis 28081	1,031	546	26	114	227		57	21	26		2,048
Providence	Mrs. Pam Russell, Railroad Avenue, East Spencer 28039		15	14	12	20		10				71
Rockwell	Mrs. Wentworth Beck, Box 172, Faith 28014	600	120		50	125	173	100	100			1,268
Rowan Mills	Mrs. Hayden Miller, Route 11, Box 570, Salisbury 28144	1,193	120	2	5	329		8				1,657
Salisbury: First	Mrs. Syd Dibrell, 931 Maple Avenue, Salisbury 28144	6,794	1,848	320	983	2,424	5	334	261	96	1059	14,124
Southside	Jack E. Howell, Route 7, Box 766, Salisbury 28144	600	100		66	129						895
Spencer: First	Mrs. J. C. Scruggs, 198 N. Yadkin Avenue, Spencer 28159	5,700	675	101	191	576		93	109	100	46	7,591
Stallings Memorial	James C. Elium, Route 5, Box 59, Salisbury 28144	8,360	1,500	382	544	1,755	20	165	186		90	13,002
Trading Ford	Elon F. Massey, Route 4, Box 1711, Salisbury 28144	2,034	300	36	70	200			200	100	1337	7,137
Trinity	Ray Brown, 501 Sixth Street, Spencer 28159	2,272	565	24	33	227	37	180	36			2,856
West Corinth	Mrs. Walter Pennell, Route 3, Box 307A, China Grove 28023					140		26	22	11	41	3,258
West Park	Mrs. Lee Allman, Route 5, Box 686, Salisbury 28144	20	30	22	20	57		19	50			209
Wyatts Grove	Mrs. Hubert File, Route 5, Box 511, Salisbury 28144	3,000	650	50	600	1,200		29	20			198
Yadkin	Tommy Lanning, Box 1100, Salisbury 28144	319	319	35	68	275		50	61	250		1,377
Oakland Heights Mission	Miss Lavonne Thompson, 1807 N. Long, East Spencer 28039	126		10		213			55			404
	TOTALS	80,102	13,395	2404	6510	24,141	1077	5488	2582	1259	6089	143,047

THE HISTORICAL TABLE—ROWAN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Year	Where Held	Preacher	Moderator	Clerk
1927	Salisbury, First	R. N. Huneycutt	C. A. Rhyne	Percy Bloxam
1928	Stallings Memorial	M. W. Gordon	C. A. Rhyne	Percy Bloxam
1929	China Grove, First	J. H. Harris	G. W. Choate	Percy Bloxam
1930	North Main Street	E. L. Bradley	G. W. Choate	R. S. Lennon
1931	Enon	R. O. Brinkley	G. W. Choate	C. W. Crowell
1932	Trading Ford	F. W. Frye	G. W. Choate	C. W. Crowell
1933	North Kannapolis	Arch C. Cree	G. W. Choate	C. W. Crowell
1934	Rockwell	C. A. Rhyne	G. W. Choate	A. L. Jarrell
1935	Oakdale	W. H. James	C. A. Rhyne	A. L. Jarrell
1936	Wyatt's Grove	C. L. Fisher	C. A. Rhyne	A. L. Jarrell
1937	Calvary	D. H. Lowder	C. A. Rhyne	A. L. Jarrell
1938	East Spencer	H. T. Davis	C. A. Rhyne	A. L. Jarrell
1939	Enon	A. L. Campbell	C. A. Rhyne	A. L. Jarrell
1940	West Corinth	L. R. Evans	C. A. Rhyne	A. L. Jarrell
1941	Faith	O. W. Funderburk	R. O. Brinkley	A. L. Jarrell
1942	Salisbury, First	D. L. Woodward	R. O. Brinkley	A. L. Jarrell
1943	Landis	R. W. Harrington	C. A. Rhyne	A. L. Jarrell
1944	North Main Street	Smoot Baker	C. A. Rhyne	A. L. Jarrell
1945	Trading Ford and Salisbury, First	R. A. Ellis	C. A. Rhyne	A. L. Jarrell
1946	Faith and Calvary	E. L. Melton	T. W. Bray	R. A. Ellis
1947	Enon and East Corinth	Clay R. Barnes	R. O. Brinkley	R. A. Ellis
1948	West Corinth and Phaniels	J. C. Hill	R. O. Brinkley	R. A. Ellis
1949	Salisbury, First and Wyatt's Grove	F. P. Blankenship	Clay R. Barnes	R. A. Ellis
1950	Landis and Dunn's Mountain	R. C. Cline	Clay R. Barnes	O. D. Moore
1951	Spencer, First and Salisbury, First and Rockwell	J. C. Gwaltney	N. C. Teague	O. D. Moore
1952	Stallings Memorial and South China Grove	E. H. Potts	N. C. Teague	O. D. Moore
1953	Oakdale and Enon	R. N. Huneycutt	R. O. Brinkley	O. D. Moore
1954	Trading Ford and Grace	O. D. Moore	R. N. Huneycutt	James L. McCoy
1955	Calvary and Phaniels	R. L. Deneen	R. N. Huneycutt	James L. McCoy
1956	Stallings and China Grove, First	J. W. Allen	E. H. Potts	James L. McCoy
1957	Salisbury, First and Southside	J. A. Richardson	Herman G. Matheny	James L. McCoy
1958	Dunn's Mountain and Rowan Mills	J. H. Simpson	Herman G. Matheny	James L. McCoy
1959	Salisbury, First and Faith	Clyde D. Chapman	Herman G. Matheny	James L. McCoy
1960	Stallings Memorial and Enon	W. J. Stephenson	John H. Simpson	James L. McCoy
1961	Trading Ford and East Spencer	B. Lester Huff	John H. Simpson	James L. McCoy
1962	Spencer, First and Milford Hills	H. M. Hocutt	Clyde D. Chapman	James L. McCoy
1963	Salisbury, First and Rockwell	M. P. Boggs	Clyde D. Chapman	James L. McCoy
1964	Trading Ford and Rowan Mills	Hayden M. Cartner	M. P. Boggs	James L. McCoy
1965	Dunn's Mountain and West Corinth	Marvin W. Dameron	M. P. Boggs	James L. McCoy
1966	Salisbury, First and Calvary	John E. Carter	B. Lester Huff	James L. McCoy
1967	Stallings Memorial and Trinity	Harold J. Mason	B. Lester Huff	James L. McCoy
1968	China Grove, First and North Main	J. D. Whisnant	Graham Carlton	James L. McCoy
1969	Oakdale and Emmanuel	John T. Holland	Graham Carlton	James L. McCoy

1970—ROWAN BAPTIST CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES—1970

JANUARY

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5- 7—VBS Clinic, Wingate College
5- 9—January Week of Bible Study
11- —Soul-Winning Commitment Day
12- —Pastor's Conference
12- —Home Missions Study Institute N. Main, 7:00-9:00
20-21—Shaping the 70's Conf., Greensboro, First
25- —Baptist Men's Day
27- —Executive Promotion Committee Assoc. Council 7:00; Comm., 7:30 Salisbury, First
27-28—General Board Meeting, Raleigh

FEBRUARY

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1- —Baptist World Alliance Sunday
2- —Associational Music Workshop, Salisbury, First, 7:30
8- —Race Relations Sunday
8-14—YWA Focus Week
9- —Pastors' Conference
12- —YWA Banquet, Stallings, 7:00
15- —Special Day & Offering, Home for Aging
16-18—Rel. Ed. Conf., CaRAway
16-20—Shaping the 70's Clinic, Salisbury, First; also study of Administration Books
23-27—Regional Choir Festivals
26- —GA Meeting, Spencer, First, 7 P.M.
27-28—Metropolitan Miss. Conf., Winston-Salem

MARCH

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1- 8—Week of Prayer: Home Missions
8- —Home Mission Day in Sunday Sch.
9- —Pastors' Conference
8-15—Youth Week
14- —Youth Night, Salisbury, First, Hut (7:30)
19- —VBS Clinic, Stallings, 8:30-1:00
20-21—Baptist Men's Conv. and Royal Ambassador Cong., Fayetteville
29- —Easter Sunday
30- —Church Leadership, Charlotte
31- —TU Tournaments, Stallings, 7:30

APRIL

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1- 4—Church Leadership, Charlotte
2- —Annual WMU, Dunn's Mt., 7:00
3- 5—YWA Convention, Hickory, First
9- —Regional TU Convention
11- —Jr. Choir Fest., Green St., High Point
13- —Pastors' Conference
17-18—YWA Sleep-in, Salisbury, First, 7:00 P.M.
17-19—Senior Citizens Men's Retreat CaRA way
18- —Youth Choir Fest., Pritchard Mem.
20-24—Church Member Training Week
21- —Assoc. Council, 7:00; Exec. Prom. Committee, 7:30, Salisbury, First
24-25—All-State Youth Choir, W.F.U.
26- —Life Commitment Sunday
28- —VBS Clinic, Southside, 6-9 P.M.

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1- 3—Church Training Youth Convention
3-10—Christian Home Week
10- —Mothers' Day & Hospital Offering
10-16—GA Focus Week
11- —Pastor's Conference
16- —GA Tea, Jr. & Int., Faith, 2:00-4:00
16- —State RA Track Meet, WFU
17- —Radio and TV Sunday
18-21—Shaping the 70's Clinic, Phase III Central Training, Salisbury, First
May 31-June 1—SBC Pastors' Conf., Rel. Education, WMU & Music Conf., Denver

JUNE

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1- 4—SB Convention, Denver, Colorado
14- —Camp CaRAway Open House
14- —Religious Liberty Sunday
14-20—Baptist Heritage Week
19-21—YWA Retreat, Mundo Vista
21- —Father's Day & College Day Offer.
22- —Pastors' Families Picnic, Enon, Pavilion, 5:00 P.M.
29-July 3—Christian Study & Fellowship, Mars Hill College

JULY

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4- —Independence Day
12- —Christian Literature Day
13- —Pastors' Conference
12-18—Baptist World Congress, Tokyo
17-18—Int. GA Prayer Retreat, China Grove, First, 7:00 P.M.-11:00 A.M.
21- —Assoc. Council 7:00, Executive Pro. Comm. 7:30, Salisbury, First
23-29—Joint TU & SS Conf., Ridgecrest
25- —WMS (Presidents) Evaluation Clinic
27-Aug. 1—Ministers' Training, Fruitland
30- —YWA, Oakdale, 7:00

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4- —Jr. GA Camp, Enon, 8:30-4:30
9-15—Sunbeam Focus Week
10- —Pastors' Conference
15- —World Friends, Day Camp, Trading Ford, 9:30-12:30
15- —RA Conclave, Sunbeam Lodge, 9:00 A.M.-9:00 P.M.
21- —State Briefing Meeting, High Point, First, TU, SS, Bro. Directors
24-30—Associational Week of Prayer
25- —Associational Officers Training, Emmanuel, 7:00, TU, SS, Bro., Music
28-29—Workshop: Associational WMU Leaders
27- —Calendar Planning, Assoc'n Parsonage
31-Sept. 2—YWA Retreat, Mundo Vista
31-Sept. 3—Shaping the 70's Clinic, First, Salisbury, Guiding Books, 7:00-9:00

SEPTEMBER

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1- —Labor Day
11-12—Brotherhood Leadership, CaRAway
11-12—Workshop, Assoc. WMU Leaders
14- —Pastors' Conference
14- —WMU Leadership, Spencer, First
14-18—SS Area Convention, Gastonia
14-19—Training Ministry Rally, Winston-Salem
20- —State Missions Day Offering
21-25—SS Leadership Preparation Week
25-26—Baptist Mens' Retreat, CaRAway
28- —WMU Leadership, Spencer, First 7:00-9:30 P.M.

OCTOBER

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Wednesday Nights: Cooperative Program Emphasis, every week
1- —WMU Leadership, Milford Hills, 7
6- —First-Timers Choir Festival
6- —TU Officers Clinic, Dunn's Mtn., 7:30
10- —RA Leadership Course, Lexington
11- —Biblical Recorder Day
12- —Pastors' Conference
12- —Brotherhood Workshop, Salisbury, First, 7:30
13- —Assoc'n. Council 7:00 & Exec. Prom. Comm., 7:30, Salisbury, First
16-18—Deacons' Retreat, CaRAway
25- —American Bible Society Sunday
26-31—Training Ministry Rally, Charlotte
26- —Foreign Missions Study Institute Rowan Mills, 7:00-9:00
27-28—Annual Association, Milford Hills, and Enon Churches

NOVEMBER

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1- 7—Royal Ambassador Week
2- —Men and Boys' Fellowship Banquet, Salisbury, First, 7:00
9- —"M" Night Choir Rehearsal, Landis, 7:30
9-12—Baptist State Convention, Greensboro
12- —YWA, Trinity, 7:00
16- —Pastors' Conference
16- —"M" Night, Landis, 7:00
17- —Pastors Wives' Covered Dish Supper, China Grove, First, 6:30
26- —Thanksgiving Day
29-Dec. 6—Week of Prayer, Foreign Missions

DECEMBER

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5- —GA Meeting 2:00-4:00
6- —Foreign Missions Day in Sunday School
7- —Pastors and Wives' Christmas Supper, Associational Parsonage, 6:30 P.M.
15- —VA Hospital, Carol-Sing, 7:00
25- —Christmas Day
27- —Student Night at Christmas
28-29—Young Men's Missions Conference, CaRAway

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FORTY-THIRD ANNUAL SESSION

1970

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HELD WITH

Milford Hills Baptist Church
Salisbury, N. C.
OCTOBER 27, 1970

and

Enon Baptist Church
Salisbury, N. C.
OCTOBER 28, 1970

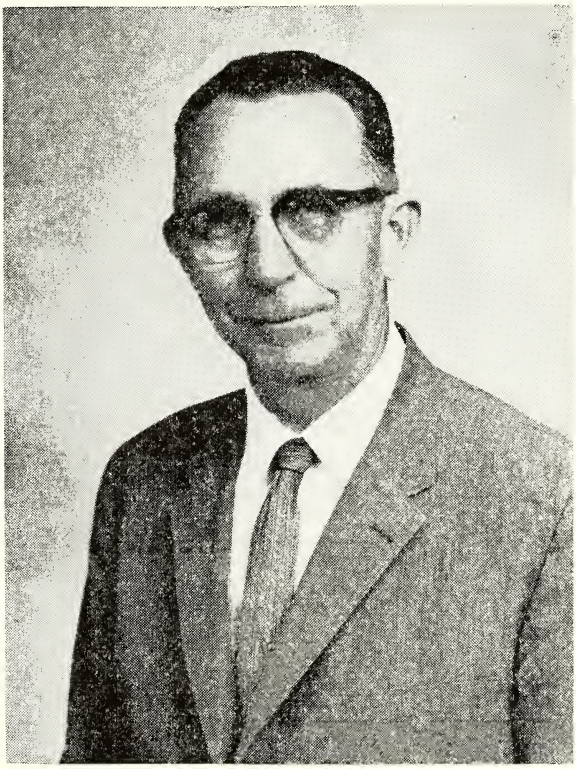
In 1971, The Rowan Baptist Association will meet on October 26 with China Grove, South Baptist Church, 501 Haney Street, China Grove, and Dunn's Mountain Baptist Church, Route 10, Salisbury, on October 27.

The Annual Sermon Will Be Preached By

Rev. Aubrey Folk
Rev. Carl Kincaid, Alternate

DEDICATED TO:

REV. JOHN E. CARTER



Rev. John E. Carter was educated in Rowan County Schools, Wingate Jr. College, and Wake Forest College. Th.M. Southern Theological Seminary. Served in several pastorates in Rowan County and Poovey's Grove in Granite Falls, N. C. for 9½ years. Has been serving for the last 13½ years as Missionary in the Rowan Association.

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CONSTITUTION

CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS

I. NAME

This body shall be known as the Rowan Baptist Association.

II. OBJECT

The object of this Association shall be to devise and promote measures for increasing the harmony and spiritual power of the churches within our bounds, to recommend plans for advancing the work of our Lord throughout the earth, and to cooperate with our Baptist State Convention and our Southern Baptist Convention in spiritual advance in such areas as Sunday School, Training Union, Woman's Missionary Union, Men's Brotherhood and Church Music with the understanding that cooperation with the state and Southern Conventions is purely voluntary.

III. MEMBERSHIP

This body shall be composed of the ordained Baptist Ministers who are pastors of cooperating churches, our Associational Missionary, and messengers chosen and certified by the churches. Each church shall be entitled to two messengers for the first fifty members or any part thereof, and one messenger for each fifty above that number, provided no church shall be entitled to more than ten messengers. It shall be the duty of the churches to correspond annually with the Association by letter and messengers, and give in not only their statistical information but also facts concerning the general welfare and to send contributions to pay the expenses of the Association. The Clerk shall furnish the churches with two printed forms for their annual report, these to be mailed at least six weeks before the annual session of the Association, and the churches are requested to have the letters in the hands of the Clerk not less than two weeks before the meeting of the Association.

Missions sponsored by the Association and those sponsored by any cooperating church or churches of the association shall be entitled to send representatives to participate in all annual meetings of the Association and to all meetings of the Executive-Promotion Committee, but such representatives shall not have official voting rights.

Annual reports shall be received from all missions on printed forms furnished by the Clerk.

IV. OFFICERS

The officers of the Association shall be Moderator, Associate Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Historian, Sunday School Superintendent, Training Union Director, Brotherhood President, W. M. U. President and Music Director. These shall be elected annually for a term of one year with the understanding that the Moderator will automatically retire after having served two complete terms. The term of office shall begin at the conclusion of the annual meeting of the Association and continue until the close of the next session or until their successors are elected.

V. TRUSTEES

In addition to the above named officers, the Association shall elect three trustees each year who shall hold in trust all property and effects of the Association, take care of and keep the same in repair, accept gifts for the Association and perform all other duties which the Association may declare, according to the laws of the State of North Carolina.

VI. MEETINGS

The Association will meet annually on the Tuesday and Wednesday after the fourth Sunday in October, and can be called into extra session if necessary by a majority vote of the Executive-Promotion Committee. All such sessions shall be conducted as prescribed in Kerfoot's "Parliamentary Law".

VII. POWERS AND PREROGATIVES

The Association shall have no power whatever to infringe upon the rights or usefulness of the churches. It may advise or recommend measures of usefulness for their adoption and guidance, but cannot bind them in any way. The churches constituting the Association shall each retain complete autonomy under Christ as supreme Head, Lawgiver, Governor and Lord over His churches, and unite only that they may more successfully promote the cause of Christ throughout the world. In any case any conflict of interpretation shall arise as between this section and any other section of this constitution the interpretation of this section shall have precedence over the other.

VIII. COOPERATING CHURCHES

Any group of baptized believers in Christ, organized into a church, earnestly seeking to cooperate with our Baptist work in

the Rowan Association, The Baptist State Convention, and the Southern Baptist Convention, having been received into the fellowship of this association shall be considered a cooperating church.

IX. COMMITTEES

1. **Executive-Promotion Committee.** The Executive-Promotion Committee shall be composed of the duly elected officers of the Association, the Pastors of all the churches within the Association and one Representative from each cooperating church. The duties of this committee shall be to carry out the policies and will of the Association in the interim between its annual sessions. The Committee shall not take any action contrary to the will of the Association or which would initiate any new policies of procedures. In an adequate emergency this committee may take such action as may be deemed necessary to conditions arising after the annual meeting of the Association. This committee shall meet quarterly, the time and place to be decided upon by the committee. The Moderator shall serve as chairman of this committee. This committee shall make a full report of its activities to the Association at its annual session.

2. **Other Committees.** The Association may constitute, instruct and discharge committees that may be necessary for the proper conduct of its affairs and promotion of its activities. These committees and a copy of their instructions shall be made a part of the minutes of the association each year.

X. AMENDMENTS

Any section of this constitution may be amended at any regular session of the Association by a two-thirds vote of the messengers present, provided the amendment is presented to the Association on the first day and voted on and passed on favorably the second day, or that notice shall be given during the meeting in one year and voted upon favorably the following year.

BY-LAWS

1. The Moderator shall be in complete charge of all meetings of the Association or the Executive-Promotion Committee.

2. In the conduct of business Kerfoot's "Parliamentary Law" shall be followed.

3. These By-Laws may be amended at any time by majority vote of the Association.

By-Laws

COMMITTEES OF THE ASSOCIATION

1. **Associational Missions Committee.** This committee shall consist of seven members. Its duties shall be to assist our Associational Missionary in every way possible, to seek out places where Baptist work is needed, and to work with our Associational Missionary or a sponsoring church in establishing, **developing and promoting** such work. The chairman of this committee shall make a report at the annual meeting of our Association on the work of our Missionary for the preceding twelve months period. **The Chairman shall also make or have made a report at each quarterly meeting of the Executive-Promotion Committee concerning those missions sponsored by the Association and by churches of the Association and shall report at the annual meeting. Every mission sponsored by the Association shall be subject to the supervision and control of the Association through the Executive-Promotion Committee and the Associational Missions Committee and each such mission shall report on its financial and program activities quarterly to the Associational Missions committee.** In the event that the Association should find itself without a Missionary, this committee shall, with the assistance of the Executive-Promotion Committee, endeavor to locate a suitable person for the office. When it seems that such a person has been found, the committee shall bring its report to the Executive-Promotion Committee for its approval or rejection.

2. **Committee on Reception of New Churches.** A committee of 3 members, elected by the Association, shall receive and study petitions from churches **and missions** desiring fellowship in this association and make recommendations to the association regarding the disposition of such petitions. These petitions should be presented to the committee at least two weeks prior to the annual meeting of the association.

3. **Finance Committee.** This committee shall keep itself informed concerning the financial needs of the Association. It shall see to it that all expenditures are kept within the budget, and supervise all financial matters. Along with its annual report to the Association it shall bring a proposed budget based upon the needs of the associational program, and the ability of the churches to support this program. This proposed budget shall be presented to the Executive-Promotion Committee at the July meeting for adoption and distributed to the churches immediately thereafter.

4. **Audio-Visual Aids Committee.** The Associational Missionary, together with four other members, shall constitute this committee, with the Missionary serving as chairman. This committee shall have charge of all visual aid equipment of the Association and keep same in good repair. It shall recommend to the Executive-Promotion Committee additional purchases of this equipment when such is to the best interest of the Association, and if the cost of such purchase is above the amount set aside in the budget for this purpose. The equipment shall be made available for use by the churches in the promotion of the entire Associational program. When this equipment is borrowed and put to use by any church or organization of the association it is to be returned promptly to the office of the Missionary. Those who use this equipment shall be requested to handle same with care and to be responsible for any damage other than normal wear.

5. **Program Committee.** This committee shall be composed of the Moderator and four members at large to be appointed by the Moderator. The duties of the committee shall be to plan the programs of the annual Association.

6. **Committee on Committees.** This committee shall be appointed by the Moderator to serve for a period of one year and shall be composed of five members whose duties shall be to recommend the appointment of the standing committees and to name any other committees called for by the Association, such as, Associational Missions, Associational Membership, Obituary Committee, Committee on Public Morals and Civic Righteousness, Finance Committee, Radio and Television Committee, Committee on Time, Place and Preacher, Committee on Resolutions, Nominating Committee, Music Committee, and the representatives of the various boards and institutions supported by the North Carolina Baptist Convention.

7. **Obituary Committee.** The Obituary Committee shall conduct a brief service at the annual meeting of our Association in memory of those members from the various churches who have been called to their heavenly home.

8. **Committee on Public Morals and Civic Righteousness.** The duties of this committee shall be to inform themselves as to the moral conditions and practices in our midst, to study these conditions, to use their influence to promote high ethical standards of life and conduct on the part of our people, and to give a report of their work at the annual meeting of the Association.

9. **Radio and Television Committee.** It shall be the duty of this Committee to give encouragement to the local radio and tele-

vision stations in the use they are now making of their facilities in broadcasting morning devotions, the broadcast and telecast of the programs of the Radio-Television Commission of Southern Baptists, and other desirable programs of a religious nature. This committee shall further seek to enlist the cooperation of these stations when special efforts are underway on an Associational-wide basis to the end that our Baptist work might be duly publicized and brought to the attention of the people of our country. A report of this committee's work shall be given at the annual Associational meeting.

10. **Committee on Time, Place, and Preacher.** This committee shall recommend the meeting place for our annual Association, state the time, and recommend a minister and an alternate for the annual sermon. This shall be reported to the Association in annual session.

11. **Committee on Resolutions.** It shall be the duty of this committee to draw up suitable resolutions relating to the hospitality of the host church or churches, the service rendered by the visiting speakers, the work of the Associational Officers, and other pertinent matters that should be included in this committee's report.

12. **The Nominating Committee.** It shall be the duty of this committee to recommend to the Annual Session of the Association prospective officers for the coming year as provided for under Section IV of the Constitution, including Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Associate Clerk and Statistician, Treasurer, Chorister, and Pianist. The heads of organizations (Sunday School, Brotherhood, Training Union, Music, and Woman's Missionary Union) shall be recommended for election at the April meeting of the Executive-Promotion Committee. Other organizational leadership shall be nominated in cooperation with the organizational heads and recommended, for election, to the July meeting of the Executive-Promotion Committee. W.M.U. Officers will be suggested to the Nominating Committee in keeping with the W.M.U. By-Laws.

13. **Music Committee.** This committee shall offer suggestions and guidance in the selection of the type of music that is desirable in worship and in our varied Associational and church activities. It shall plan, at such times as seem opportune, for a week of instruction in church music, and also seek as it has opportunity, to encourage all of our people to manifest a greater interest in this vital phase of our Lord's work.

14. **Camp Development Committee.** This committee shall have general supervision of the Associational camp which is located in the eastern part of Rowan County. It shall inform our people about the scheduled activities and opportunities offered at the camp and also of the rules and regulations that are to govern its use. The above committee shall promote the use of this camp to the end that it may serve a high and worthwhile purpose as a center for Christian activities by all departments of the Associational program. Only such activities as tend toward the development of Christian character shall be encouraged by the committee.

15. **Historical Committee.** This committee shall be composed of three members elected by the Association. The duties of this committee shall be to adequately preserve the records of the acitvity within the Association that may be of interest to further generations.

16. **Evangelism Committee.** This committee shall be composed of five members elected by the Association and shall head the Association in a program of New Testament Evangelism in cooperation with the North Carolina Baptist Convention's Department of Evangelism.

17. **Committee to Study the Constitution and By-Laws.** A committee of three members, elected by the Association shall study the Constitution and By-Laws and make recommendations for changes as needed.

18. All of our Churches in the Association are requested to assist the host church(s) in entertaining the Association for the Annual Session.

19. The Moderator and the Associational Missionary be ex-officio members of all committees and be notified of all meetings held by each committee.

Proceedings

RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS
OF THE
FORTY-THIRD ANNUAL SESSION
OF THE
ROWAN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

THEME:

"Living The Spirit Of Christ

In Openness And Freedom"

SCRIPTURE — GALATIANS 5:1a

TUESDAY

EVENING SESSION

1. The Forty-third Annual Session of the Rowan Baptist Association opened at the Milford Hills Baptist Church, Salisbury, at 7 P.M. with Dr. John T. Holland, Moderator, presiding. Elmer Phipps, Associational Song Leader, led the group in singing "We're Marching To Zion." Rev. L. C. Pinnix, Pastor of the Faith Baptist Church, Faith, conducted the devotional period, using the scriptures from John 19 and leading in prayer.

2. James L. McCoy, Associational Clerk, moved that the Messengers now registered, in addition to those who may register, constitute the enrollment of Messengers of the Rowan Baptist Association. Motion carried. Chaplain William E. Haltom moved that the program as printed, with any minor changes necessary, constitute the order of business of the Forty-third Annual Session of the Rowan Baptist Association. Motion carried.

3. Chaplain William E. Haltom was recognized and brought a recommendation from the Committee on Reception of New Churches that the Oakland Heights Baptist Church be received into the Rowan Baptist Association with equal privileges of voting and responsibility. Motion carried for adoption of this recommendation. The Moderator recognized the Messengers from the Oakland Heights Church extending to them a very warm welcome into the Rowan Association. The Moderator also recognized visitors to the Association. Rev. John E. Carter, Associational Missionary, was recognized and welcomed the following new pastors into our Association: Rev. L. C. Pinnix, Faith Church; Rev. J. A.

Richardson, Calvary Church; Rev. Vernon McDaniel, Stallings Memorial Church; Rev. Hulen Roberts, Providence Church; and Rev. Aubrey Folk, Oakdale Church.

4. Charles Summers, Associational Treasurer, was recognized and gave the Treasurer's Report, placing emphasis on the formula recommended by the Finance Committee. This report was approved.

5. The Moderator recognized representatives of various institutions present as follows: Rev. Worth Grant, Missionary to Japan; Chaplain George Bowman, Baptist Hospital, Winston-Salem, N. C.; Rev. Parker McClennon, new Supt. of Mills Home, Thomasville, N. C.; Rev. William Poole, Supt. of Homes For The Aging in N. C.; Mr. Gordon Maddrey, Executive Secretary of Baptist Foundation; Rev. Robert L. Trexler, Professor of Religion, Gardner-Webb College, Boiling Springs, N. C.

6. Graham Carlton, Chairman of the Constitution Committee, was recognized and presented proposed amendments to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Rowan Baptist Association, moving for adoption of these amendments. (Note: amendments in detail shown elsewhere in the Annual Minutes.) Final action to be taken on these proposals on tomorrow's meeting.

7. The Moderator recognized Rev. Luther Bullard who presented a resolution of appreciation for the Rowan Baptist Associational Missionary, Rev. John E. Carter. Rev. Bullard moved that the resolution be adopted, and that the 1970 Minutes be dedicated to Rev. Carter with the Minutes to carry a picture. Motion carried for approval. Dr. John T. Holland, Moderator, presented a plaque to Rev. Carter with the following inscription: "In recognition and appreciation of thirteen and one-half years of dedicated service, and in anticipation of continued service and ministry, the Rowan Baptist Association presents this expression of our love and esteem to the Rev. John E. Carter, Associational Missionary, on October 27, 1970."

Mr. Elmer Phipps led the group in singing "Love Lifted Me." There were 123 Messengers and 53 Visitors registered at this time for a total of 176 enrolled.

8. The Moderator presented Dr. Ralph Scales, President of Wake Forest University, Winston-Salem, N. C., who in turn presented Dr. Thane McDonald of the Music Department. Dr. McDonald presented a mixed quartet that sang "Grant Us To Do With Zeal" by Bach, and an arrangement of "Just As I Am"

featuring Miss Charlotte Elliott. Dr. Scales brought the closing message, speaking on "Student Unrest."

The Tuesday Evening Session was adjourned with prayer offered by Rev. Howard Wilkins, Pastor of the Eastside Baptist Church, Salisbury.

WEDNESDAY MORNING

ENON BAPTIST CHURCH

Route 9, Salisbury

9 A.M.

9. The Wednesday morning session opened with the group singing "Amazing Grace", led by Elmer Phipps, Associational Song Leader. Rev. Vernon A. McDaniel, Pastor of the Stallings Memorial Baptist Church, Salisbury, conducted the devotional period, using the scriptures from Galatians 5 and offered prayer. The Moderator recognized Rev. Luther Bullard, who extended words of welcome and gave instructions as to the facilities available.

10. James L. McCoy, Associational Clerk, was recognized and gave the Executive-Promotion Committee report. Motion carried for adoption. Mr. McCoy then gave the Digest of Church Letters.

11. Rev. John E. Carter, Associational Missionary, gave a report on Associational Missions stating that it was his opinion that the pendulum is swinging back in favor of renewed dedication and work in our Association. Rev. Carter stated that the Associational Officers are ready at all times to help the churches in any way in the promotion of their work. The Missionary stated that he will be admitted to the Baptist Hospital, Winston-Salem, N. C., in approximately one week for surgery and requested the prayers of the individuals and churches. Rev. Max L. Vanderburg, new Pastor of the Corriher Heights Baptist Church, was recognized and welcomed into the Rowan Association.

12. Rev. Joe Richards, Pastor of the Emmanuel Baptist Church, was recognized and spoke briefly on the Baptist Men's work in our Association for Mr. Charles N. Collins who could not be present.

13. Mrs. J. C. Scruggs, W.M.U. Associate Director, gave a report on Woman's Missionary Union.

14. Rev. Bobby Seagroves, Associational Baptist Training Union Director, was recognized and spoke to the Church Training Report, making announcement of coming meetings. Rev. Seagroves challenged the workers in all organizations of the association to join hands in a united effort.

15. Rev. LeRoy Cooper was recognized and made some remarks on the Sunday School work in the Association. Rev. Cooper announced the teacher improvement workshop to be conducted on November 23rd with Rev. Burrell Lucas, State Sunday School Secretary, to lead. Mr. Elmer Phipps led the group in singing "Make Me A Channel Of Blessing." Rev. Cooper presented Rev. Burrell Lucas who spoke on the Sunday School work using the scriptures from Matthew 9:35-38. Some special points of the message were: we have not yet devised a systematic way of leading people to Christ, we must decide and understand how to be mobile, and we must revise and re-evaluate revival. Emphasis was placed on the prerequisite that we know, love, and have concern for those we teach.

16. Rev. Ken Bobo gave the report of Place and Preacher Committee for Rev. Carl Kincaid who could not be present. Motion for adoption carried.

17. Mr. Clarence G. Wise was recognized and gave the report of Nominating Committee. Motion and second were received. At this point the Moderator asked for other nominations. Motion carried that nominations cease. Motion carried for acceptance of Nominating Committee report.

18. Mr. Graham Carlton was recognized and gave the report of the Committee on Committees for Rev. John H. Simpson who could not be present. Motion carried for acceptance.

19. Mrs. James Elium gave a report of the Resolutions Committee for Rev. Clay Barnes. Motion for adoption carried.

20. Mrs. Luther Bullard was recognized and made a report of the Camp Development Committee. Mrs. Bullard requested that the Association make further study of the camp property. Motion carried for approval of the report.

21. Mrs. J. Earle Blalock was recognized and gave a resume of the history of the host church, Enon Church, and the activities in our Association for the past year. Motion carried for approval of report.

22. A second was received to the motion made on the previous night by Mr. Graham Carlton that the amendments to the Constitution of the Rowan Baptist Association be approved. Motion carried. A second was also received for approval of amendments to the By-Laws This motion likewise carried.

23. The Moderator announced appointment ot the following: Program Committee — Ken Bobo, Chm., Aubrey Folk, Luther

Bullard. Committee on Committees — Clyde Chapman, Chm., John A. Richardson, L. C. Pinnix, Mrs. Syd Dibrell, Gordon Pope.

24. Rev. Aubrey Folk was recognized and moved that the Association express its sympathy to Rev. Ronald McSwain whose father recently passed away. Motion carried. Rev. Marvin Dameron was recognized and expressed thanks from the Trinity Baptist Church for the excellent response of the people in our county to the needs of Mr. Larry Eagle who recently underwent major surgery.

25. Mr. Graham Carlton was recognized and moved that the item of camp development be placed on the agenda for the next Executive-Promotion Committee meeting. The motion carried.

26. Rev. J. A. Richardson was recognized and made announcement of the Holy Land trip to begin March 9, 1971 and which is to take ten days, extending an invitation to participate to those who may be interested. Rev. Richardson spoke on his impression of the recent Southern Baptist Convention meeting in Denver, Colorado. Mr. Elmer Phipps led the group in singing "Ready."

27. Mr. Edwin Koontz, Rowan County Social Services Representative, shared some of his experiences in working with the youth of our county. Mr. Koontz challenged the group to strengthen the work and relationship with the young people.

28. Mrs. James L. McCoy was recognized and conducted the "In Memoriam" period. While the group stood with bowed heads, the names of those deceased during the past year were read. Prayer was offered by Rev. H. M. Hocutt. Mr. Elmer Phipps rendered "Must I Go An Empty Handed" as a solo.

29. Rev. LeRoy Cooper was recognized and read the scripture for the annual sermon as contained in 2 Timothy 1:6-14. After prayer by Rev. Cooper, the annual sermon was brought by Rev. Ralph Hammett, Pastor of the North Main Street Baptist Church, Salisbury. The speaker stated that we must have some definite convictions on what we believe as Baptists, and must believe the Bible, personal relationship with God, accept the teachings of Christ, and accept the church.

30. Rev. Luther Bullard, host pastor, was recognized and gave instructions for the noon meal. The Moderator expressed his personal appreciation for the participation and attentiveness of the group. Rev. Vernon McDaniel moved for adjournment and Mr. Graham Carlton dismissed with prayer, bringing the Forty-third Annual Session of the Rowan Baptist Association to a close. There were 170 Messengers and 80 Visitors registered at this time for a total of 250.

MINUTES OF THE FORTY-SECOND ANNUAL MEETING OF THE ROWAN W. M. U.

The Rowan Association of the Woman's Missionary Union met for the forty-second annual session on April 2, 1970 with Dunn's Mountain Church as hostess. The meeting was called to order at 7:00 P.M. by the Assistant Director, Mrs. J. C. Scruggs. The theme for the program was "Seal Us For Service" and Mr. Grover Miller led the opening hymn "God of Grace and God of Glory".

The Call to Prayer was given by Mrs. Clyde Bias, Jr. who read Ephesians 1:3 and 13 and led in prayer for the missionaries on the prayer calendar. Mrs. Scruggs recognized the visitors and pastors who were present and Mrs. Sam Mayfield, W. M. U. Director of the host church.

The financial report was read by the treasurer and the budget for the new year was read and approved. Announcements were made concerning Camp Mundo-Vista and a Mission Action Workshop. Mrs. Scruggs recognized Mrs. Ronald McSwain who presented the report of the Nominating Committee as follows:

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Acteen Director ..... Mrs. John Napier
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Nominating Committee for 1971:

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Respectfully submitted, MRS. RONALD McSWAIN, Chairman
MRS. BOBBY TALBERT
MRS. W. H. SNIDER

A motion was made by Mrs. McSwain to elect the officers as read.

Mrs. Gilmer Cross of Lexington, 1st Vice-President of Woman's Missionary Union of North Carolina, was recognized and she spoke on the primary task of the W. M. U. which is: (1) Teach Missions; (2) Engage in Mission Action; (3) Support World Missions Through Giving and Praying; and (4) Provide and Interpret Church Program. She also stressed and explained the "new look" in W. M. U.

After the hymn "Serve the Lord With Gladness", Mr. Grover Miller sang "The Ninety and Nine".

Our closing thoughts were brought by Mrs. George Cowsert, Missionary to Brazil and the group sang "Seal Us O Holy Spirit" as the benediction.

Respectfully submitted, MRS. HERMAN HOOD,
Secretary-Treasurer

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON RECEPTION OF NEW CHURCHES

The Committee on Reception of New Churches, consisting of Chairman — William E. Haltom, Mr. Joe Blake and Reverend Marvin Dameron have met and personally considered the request of the Oakland Heights Baptist Church to become a member of the Rowan Baptist Association, cooperating with the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina and the Southern Baptist Convention, Nashville.

After consideration and personal visitation with the Oakland Heights Baptist Church, the committee recommends the reception of the Oakland Heights Baptist Church into the Rowan Baptist Association with equal privileges of voting and responsibility.

REV. WILLIAM E, HALTOM, Chairman
MR. JOE BLAKE
REV. MARVIN DAMERON

REPORTS

ROWAN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION FINANCIAL REPORT

Fiscal Year ended 9-30-70

RECEIPTS

Calvary	$ 300.00
Canaan	293.00
China Grove, First	605.54
China Grove, South	334.00
Community	186.00
Cooleemee, First	666.30
Corriher Heights	000.00
Dunns Mountain	550.50
East Corinth	150.00
East Spencer, First	110.00
Eastside	113.76
Emmanuel	605.88
Enon	398.98
Faith	540.00
Franklin	139.00
Gold Hill	25.23
Landis	520.00
Milford Hills	100.00
Needmore	194.86
North Main	399.75
Oakdale	660.00
Pine Ridge	575.50
Providence	20.00
Rockwell	120.00
Rowan Mills	180.00
Salisbury, First	1,605.00
Southside	110.00
Spencer, First	675.00
Stallings Memorial	1,590.00
Trading Ford	720.00
Trinity	305.15
West Corinth	616.82
West Park	5.00
Wyatts Grove	60.00
Yadkin	196.75
Oakland Heights	150.00
State Convention	897.00
Refund	149.14
Des. Oakland Hgts.	793.20
Study Course Books	670.82
Total	$16,359.86

DISBURSEMENTS & SUMMARY

Balance October 1, 1969		$ 3,363.61
Receipts:		
Churches	$13,849.70	
State Conv.	897.00	
Oakland Hgt. (Designated)	793.20	
Study C. Books	670.82	
Miscellaneous	149.14	
Total Receipts		$16,359.86
Grand Total		$19,723.47
Disbursements:		
Missionary:		
Salary	$ 5,300.00	
Car Allow.	1,222.33	
Utilities	692.71	
Retirement	400.08	
Health Ins.	294.00	
Christmas Gift	100.00	
Telephone	345.47	
Parsonage Pay	3,225.00	
Oakland Hgt. (Designated)	2,043.20	
Oakland Hgt. (General Fund)	1,066.76	
Postage	280.00	
Sunday School	140.74	
Annual Meeting	40.00	
Printing Min.	1,068.08	
Office Supplies	521.58	
Convention Exp.	74.50	
Church Training	52.03	
Visual Aids	99.00	
Shaping 70's Cl.	251.99	
Brotherhood	40.96	
Student Union	22.00	
Repairs	40.73	
Parsonage Ins.	120.00	
Evangelism Rally	88.00	
Study Course Bks.	633.64	
Treasurer's Fee	125.00	
Clerk's Fee	200.00	
Assis. Clerk's	150.00	
Total Disbursements		$18,637.80
Balance, Sept. 30		$ 1,085.67
Parsonage Balance Oct. 1		$ 1,835.32
Receipts (Sale of Lumber)		840.04
		$ 2,675.36
Disb.: Repairs	$ 956.27	
Awning	975.00	
Painting	480.00	
Total Disbursed		2,411.27
Bal. Sept. 30, 1970		$ 264.09

ROWAN BAPTIST ASSOCIATIONAL BUDGET
1970-1971

ITEMS

Missionary Salary	$ 5,200.00
Utilities	680.00
Car Allowance	1,200.00
Hospital Insurance	294.00
Annuity Board Retirement	700.08
Denominational Meetings	300.00
Clerk	200.00
Assistant Clerk	150.00
Treasurer	150.00
	$ 8,874.00

OFFICE SUPPLIES AND PRINTING

Telephone	280.00
Postage	300.00
Office Supplies	400.00
Minutes, Programs and Calendars	1,200.00
	$ 2,180.00

ORGANIZATIONAL PROMOTION

Baptist Student Union, Catawba College	50.00
Sunday School	150.00
Training Union	150.00
Brotherhood	150.00
Woman's Missionary Union	770.00
Visual Aids	150.00
Evangelism and Special Studies	200.00
	$ 1,620.00

MISCELLANEOUS

Incidentals	120.00
Christmas Gift for Missionary	100.00
	$ 220.00

ASSOCIATIONAL PARSONAGE

Insurance and Maintenance	600.00
Parsonage Payment	2,400.00
	$ 3,000.00

GRAND TOTAL OF BUDGET	$15,894.00

RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. Suggested Goals for Churches on Membership Basis:
   Under 100 Members ..... 12¢ per member per month
   100-499 Members ..... 14¢ per member per month
   500-999 Members ..... 16¢ per member per month **or**
2. At least 3% of Offering Plate Dollar.
3. Request from State Mission Board $828.00

BAPTIST HOSPITAL REPORT
of
ROWAN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
1969-1970

Our Baptist Hospital continues to grow, in spite of its serious problems. Physical growth is the result of the long-range development program which has already seen the completion of the new power plant, the School of Nursing and Allied Health Building, and the additions to the Medical School. Construction of the new patient tower is progressing, after some delays, and is expected to be completed by mid-1972.

There is continued growth in the quality of patient care provided. There is improved equipment in the heart diagnostic center in the fight against heart disease; the department of nuclear medicine continues to make progress in the diagnosis and treatment of some of our most dreaded diseases; the stroke center renders valuable service in the study and treatment of strokes and brain tumors. New equipment for the Intensive Care unit includes an instrument which is attached to the patient and measures his heart action and blood pressure; if either varies from a safe range the machine signals the attendant immediately.

Changes in admission procedures have been made necessary by the financial crisis the hospital faces. When a doctor reserves a bed for a patient the admissions office contacts the patient to obtain the needed information, including the type and amount of his hospital insurance coverage. After estimating the hospital bill and determining the amount of insurance coverage, the patient is notified of the difference which he is expected to bring when he enters the hospital. An effort is made to counsel with all patients who need financial aid and assist them in getting help.

With all the growth, one thing remains unchanged: the desire and determination to care for the needy sick. This has been at the heart of the hospital's ministry since it opened in 1923. Last year it ministered to 5,225 Service Patients for 47,499 days of hospital care, in addition to the large number served in the Outpatient Clinics. The free care amounted to more than a million dollars beyond what these patients, their insurance, and all sponsoring agencies paid. North Carolina Baptists provided $565,000 of this amount — $237,000 through the Cooperative Program and $328,000 through the Mother's Day Offering. To date this year 33 churches in our association contributed $2,644.60 of the Mother's Day Fund, thus helping the hospital keep faith with its purpose.

Though our Mother's Day Offerings have grown they have not kept pace with the rising costs and our hospital is running a heavy deficit. If full use is to be made of the new medical procedures and facilities in fulfilling our mission, we are going to have to give our Baptist Hospital additional support.

The Mother's Day Offerings are now $21,000 more than what they were at this time last year, and we are grateful for this. Thirty-five Associations have already given more than they did for the entire year of 1969. If this increase continues, the Offering will reach $350,000 by the end of the year. We hope there will be at least this much increase — so many people need help. However, our association contributed $281.86 less during 1969-1970 than the year before. We earnestly request that every church have a part in the healing ministry of the Great Commission. Let us work toward the state goal of $350,000 in 1971 by contributing to this worthy ministry.

Respectfully submitted,
JOHN H. SIMPSON, Hospital Representative
Rowan Baptist Association

REPORT ON BAPTIST CHILDREN'S HOMES

The Baptist Children's Homes of North Carolina, Incorporated is a multiple social service agency providing a variety of services for more than 1,200 deserving boys and girls annually.

Children live in group homes as follows: Mills Home, Thomasville; Kennedy Home, Kinston; Odum Home, Pembroke; Greer Home, Chapel Hill, Wall Home, Wallburg; and Broyhill Home, Waynesville-Clyde. A Home for Unwed Mothers is operated in Asheville. Approximately 150 children are served annually in foster homes and a number of others receive assistance through

family services. Casework supervision is provided students in college and other types of higher education. Consultation is provided churches through a demonstration program of preschool education, including day care, kindergarten and nursery school.

Support for the ministry of child care as maintained by North Carolina Baptists comes from the following sources: Cooperative Program — 30.22 percent; Thanksgiving Offering — 22.30 percent; Designations and Once-A-Month Offering — 10.84 percent; Endowment, designated support of children, and Special Gifts — 36.64 percent. The financial needs at this time are greater than ever before in order to continue the upgrading of facilities, the operation of Homes and to provide all the necessary services.

The Baptist Children's Homes of North Carolina, Incorporated are now into their second phase of development beginning this year and lasting through 1975. Designated gifts and bequests will help to contribute greatly to the success of this phase. For instance, the Children's Homes were the recipients of a $6,909.44 bequest by Mrs. Jo Anna Buckner, who was a member of the First Baptist Church, Salisbury, which was gratefully received this year. The forthcoming Thanksgiving offering is the primary source through which additional operating funds can be made available to the Children's Homes in the near future.

This association will certainly want to continue to support in every way possible this fine program for the care and development of dependent children.

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. VICTOR G. COLE

REPORT OF THE BIBLICAL RECORDER

More than ever before, North Carolina Baptists need a dependable source of information. It is difficult these days to get an honest and accurate report on important issues.

In some cases, half truths and rumors are circulated, some of them designed to embarrass and ridicule Baptists. Since it takes so long for truth to catch up with error, some of these impressions in people's minds are never corrected. This makes progress and unity more difficult.

For 137 years, North Carolina Baptists have had the **Biblical Recorder** as a dependable source of information. Week by week it goes into the homes of nearly 90,000 families, striving to speak the truth in love.

In the past year, the **Recorder** was pleased to have had a part in the election of Dr. Carl Bates of Charlotte as president of the Southern Baptist Convention. A **Recorder** editorial endorsing him was considered a factor in his election on the first ballot at Denver. It is an honor to have the convention president from our state. This is just one example of the influence the **Recorder** has had in the past year.

Looking to the future, the **Recorder** promises to continue its fight against liquor by the drink, even in the face of strong opposition from those who are pushing for a greater flow of liquor in our state. If your church is not sending the **Recorder** to every home, try doing this for the coming year so your members can receive the full story on the 1971 General Assembly.

Your church would not think of trying to carry out its mission without literature devoted to the Sunday School, Church Training, WMU, Brotherhood and all other church organizations. The **Recorder** is just as important and should be in the budget just as this literature is. The cost is only 4¢ a week, a penny less than a post card. Your church is the loser by not taking this step. Won't you do it this coming year?

Respectfully submitted,
J. MARSE GRANT, Editor
Biblical Recorder

REPORT ON THE BAPTIST FOUNDATION

The North Carolina Baptist Foundation, an incorporated agency of the State Convention since 1920, was created by the convention for the purpose of procuring endowment funds and for administering such funds, for all institutions and agencies owned and controlled by the Convention. It is independent of the causes it serves but committed to their best interests — a service agency dedicated to the task of undergirding all our Baptist work. It is an agency endeavoring to help people do what they wish with their earthly possessions and to get lasting value from them by contributing to the endowment funds of any North Carolina Baptist or Southern Baptist cause.

Since 1962 the Foundation has had a full-time secretary and an office financed by the Baptist State Convention. The governing board is a board of directors of fifteen members named by the State Convention, each to serve for five years. The board of directors employs a trust institution, which is a specialist in the investment of funds, and management of property, to recommend investments and to deal with property management prob-

lems and to do the necessary bookkeeping and accounting and reporting. The board of directors also is responsible for the distribution of property according to the wishes of the donor or to best carry out the purposes of the Foundation.

Gifts to the Foundation are made in various ways: cash, securities, real or personal property. It can be given outright or in trust, present or future, and can be designated to a specific purpose or simply given to the Foundation to administer.

Through the Foundation many people have used their earthly possessions to help carry on the Lord's work in an ongoing way.

J. D. HOGSED

AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY REPORT

The theme and program of the American Bible Society for the past year has been **"God's Word for a New Age"** in cooperation with forty-eight other National Bible Societies with a general purpose of providing a greater increase of needed scriptures around the world. The basic missionary principles of the American Bible Society are: (1) People must have the Bible as the hope of men and nations; (2) People must have the Bible in their own language; (3) The Bible is essential tool of missions and evangelism; and (4) There is a worldwide shortage of Bibles.

Total distribution of Bibles in U.S. was 76,216,553. Worldwide distribution was in over 800 different languages, 150 countries totaling 105,380,803 volumes.

Parts of the Bible were published in 1,413 languages, full Bibles in 244 languages and New Testaments in 324 more, and complete books of New Testament in 845 or more.

Many scriptures have been given to the U.S. Armed Forces, totaling 2,224,844 volumes. Good News for Modern Man has had widespread coverage. Extra large type has also been published with a modern Spanish illustrated translation also published. This is the missionary task accomplishments of the American Bible Society.

Respectfully submitted,
REV. WILLIAM E. HALTOM

NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST HOMES FOR THE AGING

God has blessed our Homes for the Aging through all of our nineteen years, and during the past year in a very special way. We acknowledge His goodness and thank Him for every mani-

festation of His love. We also want to express sincere gratitude to our Baptist people for their increased love and concern for the 195 dear elderly people to whom we are ministering in our five Baptist Homes — Resthaven, the Hayes Home, and Nursing Care Unit, in Winston-Salem; The Albemarle Home, in Albemarle; the Hamilton Home, in Hamilton; and the Yanceyville Home, in Yanceyville.

An urgent appeal was made to our Baptist people before our offering in February to help us reduce the alarming deficit in the operation of the Homes. This plea was heard, and the offering, of $168,349.34, from July 1, 1969 through June 30, 1970 from our Baptist Churches, has exceeded all other offerings in previous years. How grateful we are for this increase. We want to urge our people, however, to continue giving liberally to our Homes and to remember that we are still confronted with the staggering cost of living and the great need to strengthen the total economy of the Homes as we try to move forward in developing and expanding this vital ministry to the aging. For example, even though our offering reflects an increase over the previous year, this increase will only take care of approximately half of the additional amount necessary in operating the Homes for the coming year, due to inflationary pressures.

Of great interest in our Development Program is a proposed new addition to our present Nursing Care Unit. Judge and Mrs. William M. York, of Greensboro, North Carolina, have offered a gift of $80,000.00 to the Homes for this purpose, contingent upon the Homes raising an additional $80,000.00 by September 1, 1970. If this proposal is fulfilled, 10 to 12 additional rooms would be made available, with accommodations for 20 to 24 people, and bringing our total nursing care capacity to 80 beds. We appeal to Baptist people to pray for the success of this very special project in the care of our elderly sick.

There is no greater security for an older person than that of the Christian nurture and love offered in our Baptist Homes, and we thank the Lord, and our Baptist people, for this ministry. We shall continue to look to Him, and to our people, on behalf of these to whom Christian love means so much, in the faith that our needs will be supplied.

Respectfully submitted,
CLYDE YATES, JR.

ANNUITY BOARD OF THE SOUTHERN BAPTIST CONVENTION

Good Experience Credit Boosts Benefits

"Good experience credit" is a new term in Protection Program vocabulary. "Good experience credit" means larger benefits for active and retired members as of January 1, 1970. Briefly, here is how it works.

For the active member and his family the stipulated amounts of eligible benefits in Plans A-10 and A-11 (formerly Southern Baptist Protection Plan) now are the minimum. The "good experience credit" will be extra — over and above the minimum. For 1970 the "good experience credit" will be about 2% of the retirement credits accrued as of that date. The amounts credited in the future may vary, depending on interest earned.

Most retired members are finding the "good experience credit" in their 1970 monthly checks which are 4% larger. In addition, these members received the "13th Check" in February. The "good experience credit" and the "13th Check" are realities because interest earnings were in excess of what was required actuarially by the plans.

"13th Check" Largest to Date

For the fourth consecutive year the Annuity Board mailed a "13th Check" to all recipients of life retirement benefits. The extra check, amounting to 13% of the annual benefit, was the largest to date.

History of Benefits Paid

Since 1918 the Annuity Board has paid $73,717,267 in benefits to Southern Baptist ministers, agency and church employees, widows and children through the programs administered.

Highlights of 1969

If the "good experience credit" had been the only accomplishment, 1969 would have to rank as one of the most successful years in Board history, but there were other impressive accomplishments. Here are highlights of the Annuity Board services for 1969:

Total Active Members in:	
Plan A of Protection Program	24,256
Plan B of Protection Program	9,756
Plan C of Protection Program	3,358
Health Benefit Plan	14,871
Life Benefit Plan	9,336
New Group Insurance (Churches)	1,130
New Group Insurance (Agencies)	2,228
Churches Billed in Plan A	18,081
Agencies with Plans	155

New Benefit Recipients	1,059
*Retirement	643
Disability	51
Widow	139
Child	105
Education	100
Variable	21
Relief Recipients	464
Relief Payments	$176,165
Total Benefits Paid	$7,273,851

*Includes lump-sum and one-time payments

Annuity Board Programs

A minister, church or denominational employe can create a protection program with the Annuity Board that will cover all his needs. Many churches are helping by paying dues in the retirement, health and life insurance plans. Information on any part of the Annuity Board's programs may be obtained from the state convention office or from the Development Division, Annuity Board, SBC, 511 North Akard Building, Dallas, Texas 75201.

(Note: The Rowan Association and 24 churches are participating in the Protection Program. June 15, 1970.)

Respectfully submitted,
CLAY R. BARNES

REPORT OF RADIO AND TELEVISION COMMISSION

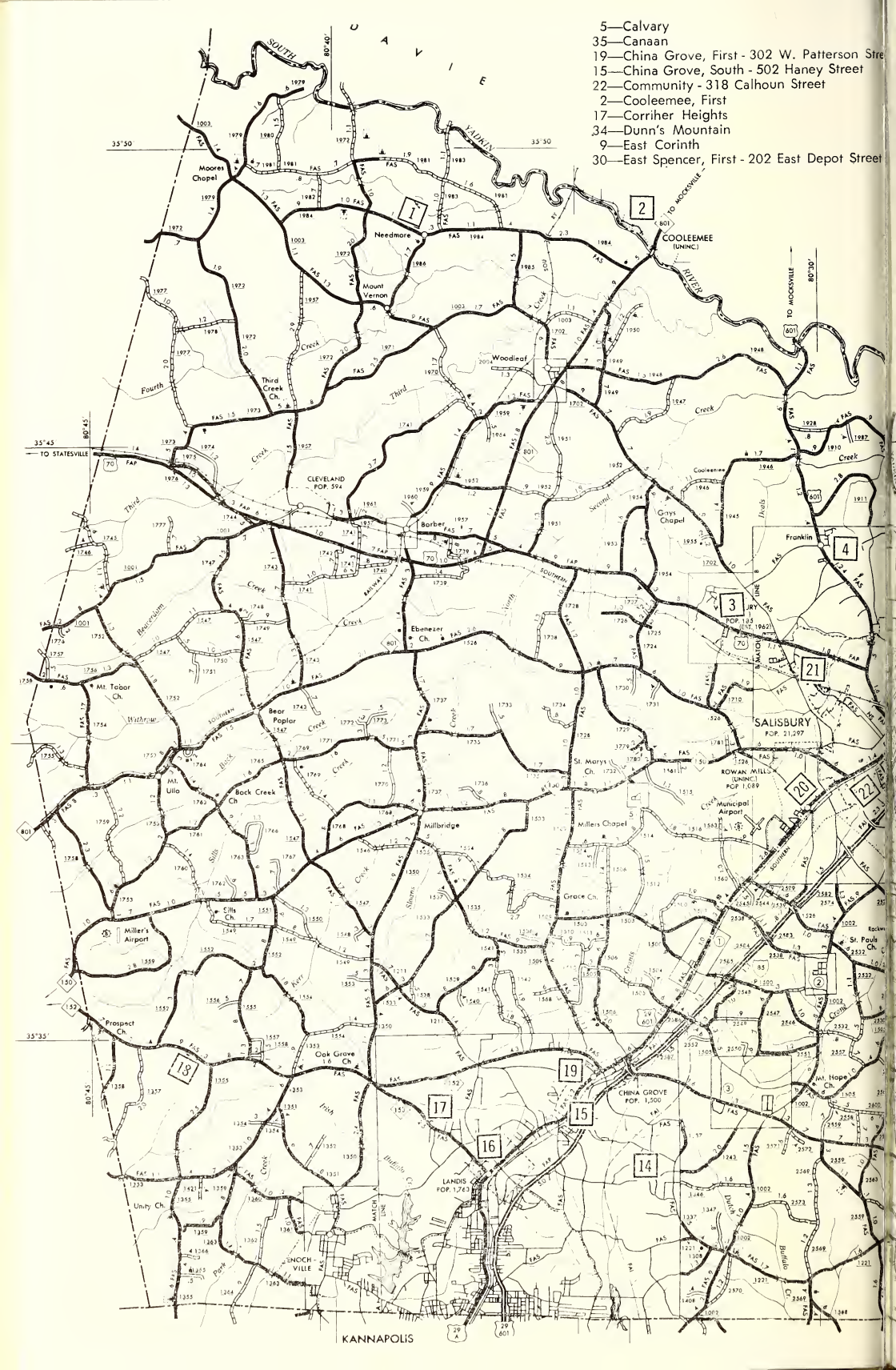
Few Southern Baptists realize the full scope of the work they are doing through their Radio and Television Commission. Do they, for instance, know that from 1960-69, the Commission received through the Cooperative Program a total of $7,419,000 for operating purposes? Or, that in return, their Radio and Television Commission obtained a total of more than $37,000,000 in free time from the radio and television industries?

Do they know that the total weekly programming level, foreign and domestic, during 1960-69, rose from five programs and 844 broadcasts in 1960 to 44 programs and 2,783 broadcasts at the end of 1969? Or that Southern Baptists carry on a massive ministry through the Armed Forces Radio and Television Network to our men and women in the military all over the world? Do they know that Southern Baptists, through this Commission, have the largest electronic ministry of any religious group in the world?

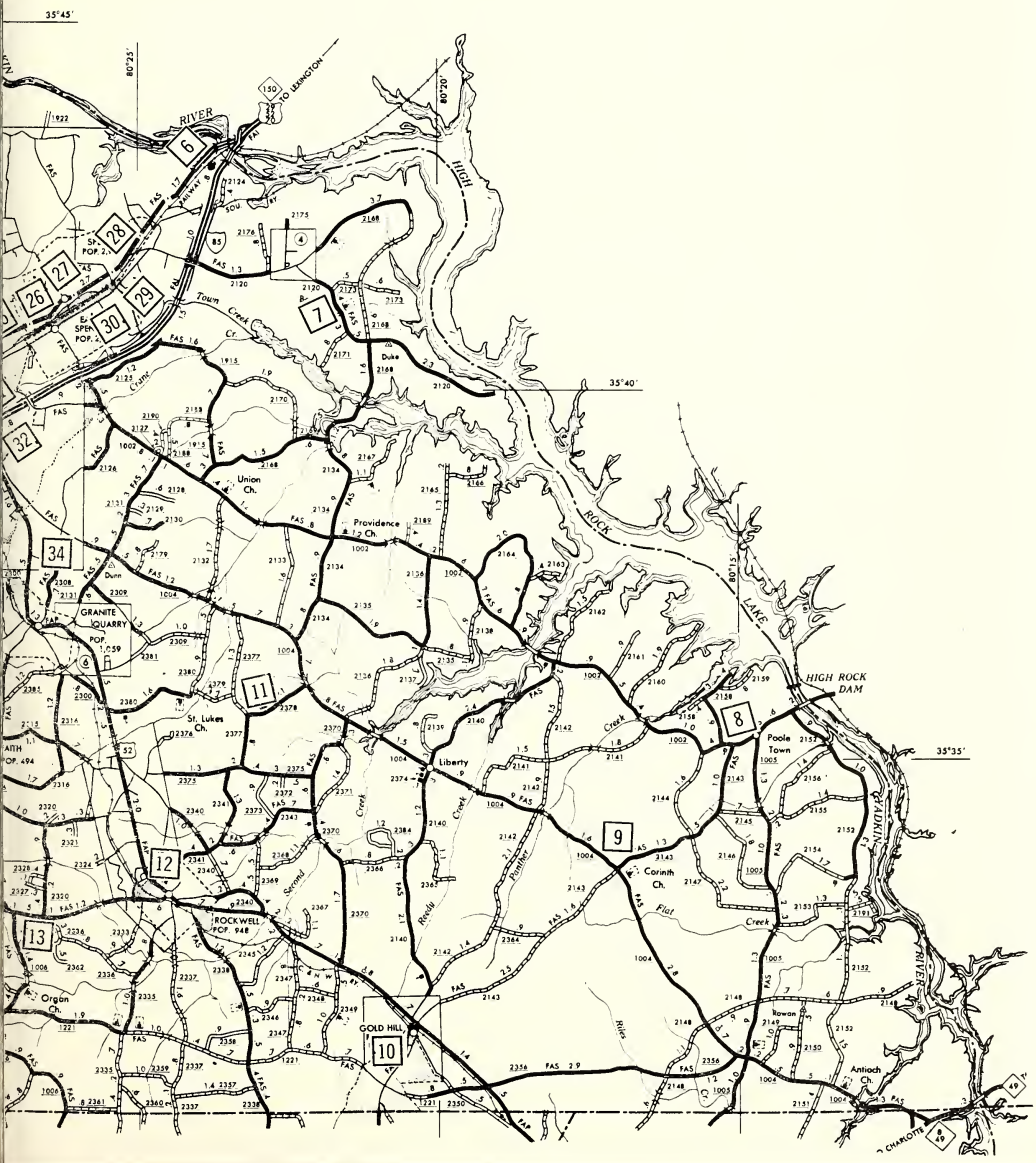
These and many more distinctives set this ministry apart as one of the most vigorous and productive of all the programs in which our denomination is engaged.

The Radio and Television Commission reached deeper into the potential audience for its programming in 1969, and took hold of a larger segment than ever before. With the origination of new radio and television programs, it was possible to initiate a broadcast somewhere in the world on the average of every three minutes, for a total of 152,000 separate broadcasts.

Commission productions increased from 32 to 44 during the year and the total number of programs aired weekly reached 2,783, an all-time high.


5—Calvary
35—Canaan
19—China Grove, First - 302 W. Patterson Stre
15—China Grove, South - 502 Haney Street
22—Community - 318 Calhoun Street
2—Cooleemee, First
17—Corriher Heights
34—Dunn's Mountain
9—East Corinth
30—East Spencer, First - 202 East Depot Street
DAVIE
SOUTH YADKIN RIVER
Moores Chapel
Needmore
Mount Vernon
COOLEEMEE (UNINC.)
TO MOCKSVILLE
Woodleaf
Third Creek Ch.
TO STATESVILLE
CLEVELAND POP. 594
Barber
Gays Chapel
Franklin
Ebenezer Ch.
Mt. Tabor Ch.
Bear Poplar
SALISBURY POP. 21,297
ROWAN MILLS (UNINC.) POP. 1,089
Mt. Ulla
Back Creek Ch
Millbridge
St. Marys Ch.
Millers Chapel
Municipal Airport
Grace Ch.
Ellis Ch.
Miller's Airport
St. Pauls Ch.
Prospect Ch.
Oak Grove Ch
Int. Hope Ch.
CHINA GROVE POP. 1,500
LANDIS POP. 1,763
Unity Ch.
ENOCHVILLE
KANNAPOLIS

11—Eastside
31—Emmanuel - 601 East Cemetery Street
3—Enon
36—Faith
4—Franklin
10—Gold Hill
16—Landis - West Ryder & N. Kimmons
21—Milford Hills - 1238 E. Colonial Drive
1—Needmore
25—North Main - 1401 North Main Street
28—Oakdale - 225 Charles Street
14—Pine Ridge
29—Providence - Andrews Street
12—Rockwell
20—Rowan Mills
24—Salisbury, First - 223 N. Fulton Street
33—Southside
27—Spencer, First - 215 Fifth Street
23—Stallings Memorial - 817 S. Main Street
7—Trading Ford
26—Trinity - Carolina Ave. & 8th Street
18—West Corinth
13—West Park
8—Wyatts Grove
6—Yadkin
32—Oakland Heights Mission



Powerline, the "top 40" radio program for teenagers, is currently on 356 stations; and **Country Crossroads,** featuring a magazine format, and based on "country and western" music and its well-known performers, is on 193 stations. These two accounted for a majority of the year's new stations.

The Centurymen is a newly organized 100-voice male singing group composed of ministers of music from Southern Baptist churches. Devoted to providing music for the Commission's broadcast programming and to representing the denomination internationally, the choir made its premier performance on the National Broadcasting Company television network on December 28, 1969, and appeared several times in person at the Southern Baptist Convention in Denver, June 3, 1970.

Ten hours of broadcast time was given by the networks at an average value of $70,000 per hour in 1969. The total number of programs produced by the Commission for the radio networks (ABC, NBC, and CBS) during the year came to 62, and the time to fifteen and one-half hours.

Southern Baptists have a massive ministry to all the children of the world in JOT, the animated children's program for television. The number of stations carrying this program will rise from 40 to 100 during 1970. The JOT films are also available for church use through the Film Centers of the Baptist Sunday School Board.

Next year will bring changes in **The Answer** series, with the name and style phased out, to make way for a shift from drama to live and film documentaries in a series called **The Human Dimension.** To date, eight of the programs for this series have been produced.

Last year an advertising agency concept was begun by the Commission under the name of TimeRite, Inc., for the general benefit of the entire denomination. Three TimeRite representatives are now operating out of offices in Wilmington, North Carolina; Dallas, Texas; and Fresno, California, to service the radio and television needs of local churches, associations, state conventions, and other agencies of the Southern Baptist Convention.

J. P. Allen, former pastor of Broadway Baptist Church and president of the Commission's trustees, was appointed director of the Audience Response Division of the agency. This action reflected a new concentration by the Commission on the spiritual problems and Christian growth of those who respond by mail to its radio and television programs.

Submitted by,
CHAS. P. BURCHETTE

COOPERATIVE PROGRAM REPORT

Hundreds of churches, including every size church, increased Cooperative Program giving last year. One thousand and seventy-three churches increased Cooperative Program giving by ten per cent or more over the previous year. This increased sharing will enable all to have a greater part in the healing of the sick, feeding the hungry, clothing the naked, visiting the imprisoned and preaching the gospel to the poor. Congratulations are in order to every individual and church making this ministry possible.

Helping churches advance in stewardship and missions is one of the basic aims of your Stewardship-Cooperative Program Chairman, General Board member, Superintendent of Missions, Moderator, and the Division of Stewardship Promotion of the Baptist State Convention. Do you need help with Annuity and Insurance for your pastor and/or other staff personnel, Week End Stewardship Revivals, Growth in Christian Stewardship Program, The Forward Program, Study and Preaching Program, Tithers Enrolment Week, Planning a Budget, Youth in Stewardship Program, Family Stewardship Program, Visual Aids, Communications, Developing a Special Stewardship Program, Principles of Family or Church Budgeting, Setting up Better Financial Record Keeping for your church or leaflets and other information on the Cooperative Program, State Missions, and Family or Church Finance?

The Cooperative Program is the main channel of supporting World Missions, Christian Education, Social Services, and ever increasing State Missions programs. The goal for these causes this year is $7,000,000.

As dedicated Christian stewards will you try to lead your church:

1. To use a stewardship program to help subscribe your own church budget?

2. To increase the percentage of the offering plate dollar given through the Cooperative Program?

Your associational officers and your Division of Stewardship Promotion personnel are delighted to offer friendly service to aid your stewardship program, Cooperative Program sharing, visual aids or annuity requests. On your invitation we stand ready to assist in every possible way.

REPORT FOR ASSOCIATIONS

Since 1891 the Sunday School Board has sought to aid churches in winning people to Christ and educating them in the faith. This continues to be the emphasis through the 25 programs of work assigned to the board by the Southern Baptist Convention.

The board stands ready to answer the call to individual and collective needs whether by service through Baptist Book stores, or through Sunday School quarterlies for Junior boys all over the country or through direct consultant service to the local church.

Consultants and editors strive daily to supply requested study materials and planning services through education and service programs. Assistance is available to churches and individuals in the areas of literature, books, music, supplies, films, Sunday School, Vacation Bible School, Bible Study, Training Union, church music, church administration, audiovisual education, student work, family ministry, vocational guidance, Bible and tract distribution, church architecture, church library and church recreation.

Glorietta (N. M.) and Ridgecrest (N. C.) Baptist Assemblies, operated by the board, are used each summer for conferences, youth activities, mission studies and leadership training sessions. Both assemblies are available during winter months for church and campus groups. Additionally, at the Sunday School Board and in local churches, seminars, conferences and clinics are held throughout the year for many church program areas. Through every means Southern Baptist churches are seeking more efficient, effective means to spread the gospel and to glorify God. It is the goal of Sunday School Board personnel to work jointly with the churches as servants of God.

AMENDMENTS PROPOSED TO CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS

(Amendments Indicated by Underlining)

CONSTITUTION

III. MEMBERSHIP

This body shall be composed of the ordained Baptist Ministers who are pastors of cooperating churches, our Associational Missionary, and messengers chosen and certified by the churches. Each church shall be entitled to two messengers for the first fifty members or any part thereof, and one messenger for each fifty above that number, provided no church shall be entitled to more than ten messengers. It shall be the duty of the churches to correspond annually with the Association by letter and messengers, and give in not only their statistical information but also facts concerning the general welfare and to send contributions to pay the expenses of the Association. The Clerk shall furnish the churches with two printed forms for their annual report, these to be mailed at least six weeks before the annual session of the Association, and the churches are requested to have the letters in the hands of the Clerk not less than two weeks before the meeting of the Association.

Missions sponsored by the Association and those sponsored by any cooperating church or churches of the association shall be entitled to send representatives to participate in all annual meetings of the Association and to all meetings of the Executive-Promotion Committee, but such representatives shall not have official voting rights.

Annual reports shall be received from all missions on printed forms furnished by the Clerk.

IX. COMMITTEES

1. Executive-Promotion Committee. The Executive-Promotion Committee shall be composed of the duly elected officers of the Association, the Pastors of all the churches within the Association and one Representative from each cooperating church. The chairmen of all committees of the Rowan Baptist Association, the member or members of the general board of the State Baptist Convention from the Rowan Association and all full time Assistant and Associate Pastors of cooperating churches and full time Ministers of Music and full time Ministers of Education from the cooperating churches.

The remainder of Article 9 remains the same.

BY-LAWS

1. Associational Missions Committee. This committee shall consist of seven members. Its duties shall be to assist our Associational Missionary in every way possible, to seek out places where Baptist work is needed, and to work with our Associational Missionary or a sponsoring church in establishing, developing and promoting such work. The chairman of this committee shall make a report at the annual meeting of our Association on the work of our Missionary for the preceding twelve months period. The Chairman shall also make or have made a report at each quarterly meeting of the Executive-Promotion Committee concerning those missions sponsored by the Association and by churches of the Association and shall report at the annual meeting. Every mission sponsored by the Association shall be subject to the supervision and control of the Association through the Executive-Promotion Committee and the Associational Missions Committee and each such mission shall report on its financial and program activities quarterly to the Associational Missions committee. In the event that the Association should find itself without a Missionary, this committee shall, with the assistance of the Executive-Promotion Committee, endeavor to locate a suitable person for the office. When it seems that such person has been found the committee shall bring its report to the Executive-Promotion Committee for its approval or rejection.

2. Committee on Reception of New Churches. A committee of 3 members, elected by the Association shall receive and study petitions from churches and missions desiring fellowship in this association and make recommendations to the association regarding the disposition of such petitions. These petitions should be presented to the committee at least two weeks prior to the annual meeting of the association.

COMMITTEE ON SPECIAL RECOGNITION

In the absence of the chairman of this committee, Rev. Ronald McSwain, it has been requested that I bring this report to you, the messengers of the Rowan Baptist Association.

WHEREAS, So often our religious leaders go unrecognized for their service rendered for the cause of Christ and His Church; and

WHEREAS, The Executive-Promotion Council felt that it would be fitting to bring before you the Rowan Baptist Association, the opportunity to express your appreciation for our Associational Missionary, Rev. John E. Carter;

NOW, THEREFORE, This committee would like to recommend that the Rowan Baptist Association Minutes for the year 1969-70, be dedicated to our Missionary, Rev. John E. Carter, with the dedicatory page including a photograph.

Respectfully submitted,
RONALD McSWAIN, Chairman
VICTOR COLE
LUTHER BULLARD

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION REPORT

Our Baptist Colleges feel the responsibility of building institutions that can effectively serve students who will be taking part in creating tomorrow's world.

The U.S. Office of Education lists more than 2,000 colleges and universities; of this number there are over 800 church related groups. Denominations claim more than 60% of the total.

A study by the Danforth Foundation's committee on church colleges listed four trends in American Higher Education: (1) Rapid expansion of higher education, doubling the enrollment within 10 years; (2) An expanding economy, demanding more college-trained personnel; (3) Increasing secularization of American culture; and (4) Deteriorization of liberal arts education, placing emphasis on research and technical training.

We now have a number of general crises in higher education:

1. The crisis of purpose — The question is being asked, "What are we educating for?" "What is man?" "What is his destiny?" "Does life have meaning?" The Christian college with its unique view of God, man, and history is having to re-think its purpose in terms of social, economic, political changes into which it has been thrust. The Christian colleges are urged to address themselves vigorously and frequently to re-examining the Christian aim and purpose.

2. There is a crisis in curriculum — How far can the Christian college go in scientific and technical training?

3. There is a crisis in faculty — Accrediting agencies are raising standards. There is now a shortage of teachers at the doctoral level.

4. There is a crisis in relationship — There is tension, struggle and readjustment going on in all colleges. The problem of balancing freedom and academic responsibility is always present.

5. There is crisis in population — The proportion of young people who desire to go to college is rapidly increasing. College admissions offices are having to turn away qualified students. Higher education may be on the way to becoming a luxury — for the financially elect, and the intellectually elite.

6. There is crisis in finance — Costs will continue to escalate.

Baptist colleges have only these sources from which they hope to get money: student charges, gifts from the denomination, gifts from individuals, corporations, foundations. Seldom do Baptist colleges share in large foundation giving, especially at the national level.

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. E. CARR CHOATE

REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE-PROMOTION COMMITTEE

The Rowan Baptist Executive-Promotion Committee met four times the past Associational Year, meeting each time at the First Baptist Church, Salisbury, N. C.

At the January 1970 meeting Mr. Graham Carlton gave a report of the joint meeting of the Missions and Constitution Committees of the Rowan Baptist Association which met to study the matter of the relationship of the Rowan Association with a Mission sponsored by the Association. Mr. Carlton presented some proposed amendments to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Rowan Baptist Association. A copy of these proposed amendments is filed in the records kept by the Associational Clerk. Action was taken to provide for necessary expenditures to care for the state workers while here for the 1970 clinic. Rev. John Carter was granted permission to purchase a record player at an approximate cost of $99.00.

The second quarterly meeting of the new year was held on April 21, 1970. The following associational officers were elected to serve for the year 1970-71:

Sunday School Director ..... LeRoy Cooper
Training Union Director ..... Bobby Seagroves
Director of Mens Work ..... Charles Collins
Music Director .... Lynn Hopkins

A recommendation was approved from the Missions Committee of the Rowan Baptist Association that the Oakland Heights Baptist Mission be authorized to constitute itself into a self-sustaining Baptist Church.

The third quarterly meeting was held on July 21, 1970. A report was received from the Missions Committee that the Oakland Heights Mission was constituted into a full-fledged Baptist Church on Sunday, June 14, 1970. A recommendation was approved from the Missions Committee that the Rowan Baptist Association convey to Oakland Heights Baptist Church title to the property held for some time by the Association.

The final meeting of the Executive-Promotion Committee for the Associational Year was held on October 13, 1970. Approval was made of request from the Eastside Baptist Church to the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina for Missionary Pastors Assistance in the amount of $1,440.00, and request from the Needmore Baptist Church for aid to purchase property for much needed space in the amount of $1,000.00.

The Executive-Promotion Committee approved a recommendation coming from the Associational Advisory Council that the Associational Missionary's salary and allotments be continued during the period of his hospitalization and convalescence.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES L. McCOY, Clerk

ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONS COMMITTEE

On June 14, 1970 the Oakland Heights Baptist Mission was constituted into a church. It petitioned the Rowan Baptist Association for membership at this annual session and was duly admitted as a new church. Under the leadership of Brother John Simpson the church has made remarkable progress. Twenty persons were baptized for the year. The church is debt-free and has more than $1,000.00 in a building fund.

In another mission endeavor, the First Baptist Church of Salisbury voted in September to sponsor a new Baptist mission to be located at Neal Road on the Mooresville highway. Monthly meetings of interested persons have been held for the past three months, with a view toward commencing Sunday evening worship services immediately, utilizing the Locke Township fire station as a temporary meeting place. The prayers and concern of all our churches should undergird this new work.

Respectfully submitted,

VICTOR G. COLE

REPORT ON BAPTIST MEN'S WORK

Another year is upon us and in our hearts we are singing "To God Be The Glory". If we were able to make any progress last year God deserves the glory and praise. As we look back over our work, we see not only tasks performed but opportunities lost — some boy could have a better understanding of his relationship with God, parents, and fellowman had we been there — some Baptist men could have a greater knowledge of missions had we been there — some church could have used its manpower in an enlarged mission program had we been there.

This year we want to be there when needed. To better serve our churches we have asked each associational officer to be responsible for a certain number of churches for better communication and promotion. We want each church to be informed of its opportunities, instructed in its tasks, and inspired in its vision.

As the door of opportunity opens in your world will you be willing to receive instruction for the task? Will you open your heart to real and lasting inspiration coming from the Spirit of God? We shall continue to visit Pastors, Laymen, and Churches in an honest effort to advance the mission of our Lord. As soon as we finish singing "To God Be The Glory", let us sing "To The Work".

In Jesus' Name,
CHARLIE COLLINS

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

Almost two thousand years ago Christ gave his followers a commission — "Go ye into all the world and make disciples of all nations." From the time he spoke this mandate, men, women and youth have been caught up in the mighty movement of world missions. At times the cause of Christ has suffered loss because Christians failed to seize opportunities. In other eras the cause has moved forward with gigantic strides when Christians accepted and fulfilled their role in God's plans. The same power that assured past victory is still available to Christians who will accept it.

Woman's Missionary Union today is entrusted with a vital role in world missions. Past successes inspire, but they cannot compensate for halfheartedness today. Past failures warn of pitfalls, but they cannot deter Christian women. Woman's Missionary

Union members today must accept our opportunities. No other generation will have the chance. They are uniquely ours.

Woman's Missionary Union organizations work in the context of the church, to help the church fulfill its mission. We are one part, but a vital part, of the total church program.

Because Woman's Missionary Union and Brotherhood perform identical tasks in the church, it is imperative that we work together, in teaching missions to church members, in engaging church members in mission action, and in supporting world missions through praying and giving. So we look forward to working with the Brotherhood, in jointly conducting churchwide mission projects, such as Churchwide mission studies, mission action projects, participating together in Weeks of Prayer, in promoting mission giving, and in any other ways our church needs us.

If we could, somehow, get the whole church involved in world missions what great things we could accomplish for our Lord! The needs are abundant. The commission has been given. The power is available. Yet the people of the world cry on unheeded. For food, we give them materialism; for peace, we give them pity; for healing, we give them sympathy; for salvation, we give them preaching. As Missionary Baptists we must heed their cry!

An unknown author has penned these words:

"O matchless honor, all unsought,
High privilege, surpassing thought
That thou shouldst call us, Lord, to be
Linked in work-fellowship with thee.
To carry out thy wondrous plan,
To bear thy messages to man,
In trust, with Christ's own work of grace
To every soul of human race."

In these times of changing moral and spiritual values, what a responsibility, and yet, what a privilege is ours! Let us seize our opportunities and win the victory for our Lord.

MRS. J. C. SCRUGGS

CHURCH TRAINING REPORT 1970

The Rowan Baptist Associational Church Training Program has no reason for being, except to meet the training needs of the Baptist Churches of our Association.

Our 1969 "M" Night was held on December 1, 1969 in the First Baptist Church of Salisbury. The Rev. Jack B. Wilder, pastor of the Florida Street Baptist Church of Greensboro, was our speaker, speaking on the Theme, "Training For Witnessing". We had 505 people present, 21 Churches represented, and 19 pastors present. Youth Week was observed by many of our Churches March 8-15. Our Association observed Associational Youth Night on March 14th in the Salisbury First Baptist Church Hut. We had 60 young people present for this meeting. Mr. Paul Earl Garrett, of the Stallings Church, was elected President of the Rowan Baptist Associational Youth Group for 1970. On March 31st our Associational T. U. Tournament was held in the Stallings Baptist Church. The only participant was Mrs. W. V. Porter in the Adult Bible Readers Tournament. On October 6th we had a Church Training Officers Clinic in the Dunn's Mountain Baptist Chruch.

The greatest challenge we have in our Association in Church Training is for our Churches to rise above a "business as usual" attitude toward Church Training and realize that Church Training is an imperative not only for growth and progress, but for survival itself.

Unless your Church and my Church have reached spiritual perfection there is a need for Church Training in our Christian lives. I challenge every Church and Pastor in our Association to communicate the gospel to today's world through a trained and committed church membership.

Your Associational Church Training Union Officers stand ready and willing to help. Call upon us when the need arises.

Respectfully submitted,
BOBBY SEAGROVES

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

Theme: Living the Spirit of Christ in Openness and Freedom.

In submitting the Sunday School report for the Associational year 1969-70 we are grateful for God's leadership and blessings. It has been a year of challenge and change.

A word of appreciation needs to be given to all those who helped so faithfully in the past year.

In the year we participated in the training and conducting the Shaping the 70's Conferences.

In February we had Phase I of Shaping the Seventies. A Central Training School was held at the First Baptist Church, Salisbury. The books "Administering The Bible Teaching Program" were taught. We had an average attendance of 315 with 301 awards.

In March we had our Day Session of our Associational V. B. S. Clinic. This meeting was held at the Stallings Memorial Baptist Church.

In April we had the night session of our Associational V. B. S. Clinic. This meeting was held at the Southside Baptist Church.

In May we had Phase II and III of Shaping the Seventies. A Central Training School was held at the First Baptist Church, Salisbury. The books "Guiding and Understanding" were taught. The average attendance was 117 and 101 awards were earned.

On August 25 we met at Emmanuel Baptist Church for an Officers Training and Planning Meeting.

Calendar for the coming year for Sunday School:

November 23 — Teacher Improvement Workshop for each Age Division and Outreach Directors and Leaders.
Time: 7:30-9:00 P.M.
Place: First Baptist Church, Salisbury

March 30 — Associational V. B. S. Clinic.
Time: 9:00 A.M.-6:00 P.M.
Place: Stallings Memorial Baptist Church

May 17 — Sunday School Conference — TIP for Better Teaching.
Time: 7:30-9:00 P.M.
Place: Faith Baptist Church

June 26 — Youth Happening.
Time: 3:00-9:00 P.M.
Place: Enon Baptist Church

September 14 — Launch Night.
Time: 7:30 P.M.
Place: Rowan Mills Baptist Church

Respectfully submitted,
REV. LEROY COOPER
Assoc. S. S. Director

TIME, PLACE, AND PREACHER COMMITTEE

The constitution of the Rowan Baptist Association stipulates that the Association will meet on Tuesday and Wednesday after the fourth Sunday in October.

The Annual Meeting of this Association in 1971 will meet on October 26th and 27th.

Your committee recommends that the Association meet with South China Grove on Tuesday, October 26th and with Dunn's Mountain on Wednesday, October 27th.

Your committee also recommends that the Rev. Aubrey Folk, pastor of the Oakdale Baptist Church, preach the annual sermon and the Rev. Carl Kincaid, pastor of the Franklin Baptist Church, be the alternate.

Respectfully submitted,
REV. CARL KINCAID, Chairman
REV. KEN BOBO
MR. RICHARD MOOREFIELD

REPORT OF NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Moderator ..... Rev. J. T. Holland
Vice-Moderator ..... Rev. Ronald W. McSwain
Clerk ..... James L. McCoy
Associate Clerk and Statistician ..... Mrs. James L. McCoy
Treasurer ..... Charles Summers
Chorister ..... Lynn Hopkins
Pianist ..... Mrs. J. Earle Blalock
Sunday School Supt. ..... Rev. LeRoy Cooper
Associate W. M. U. Director ..... Mrs. J. C. Scruggs
Training Union Director ..... Rev. Bobby Seagroves
Director of Baptist Men ..... C. N. Collins
Music ..... Lynn Hopkins
Congregational Singing ..... Charles Bolden
Graded Choirs ..... Mrs. L. C. Pinnix
Director of Instrumental Music ..... Mrs. E. H. Potts
Promotion ..... Mrs. Robert Davis
Pastor Advisor ..... Rev. L. C. Pinnix
Trustees ..... Bob Davis, Chairman
Franklin Scarborough
Sam May

Respectfully submitted,
C. G. WISE, Chairman
BANKS MULLIS
JOE RICHARDS
MRS. RONALD McSWAIN
ROBERT DAVIS, SR.
REV. JOHN E. CARTER, Ex-Officio
REV. J. T. HOLLAND, Ex-Officio

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES

MISSIONS: Rev. Victor G. Cole, Chairman; Mrs. Graham Carlton, Mrs. J. C. Scruggs, Dr. Harold Thompson, Sam Mayfield, Lester Dorsett.

ON RECEPTION OF NEW CHURCHES: Rev. Marvin Dameron, Chairman; Joe M. Blake, Rev. L. C. Pinnix.

OBITUARY: Mrs. John Dry, Chairman; Mrs. Robert M. Davis, Mrs. Clyde Lipe.

PUBLIC MORALS AND CIVIC RIGHTEOUSNESS: Rev. Horace Moree, Chairman; Mrs. E. J. Wagoner, Ned Norris.

FINANCE: Charles Summers, Chairman; J. H. Brower, Sr., Joe Jarrell.

RADIO AND TELEVISION: Rev. Wade James, Chairman; Richard Morefield, Duard Gardner.

RESOLUTIONS: Rev. Bill Haltom, Chairman; Rev. Clarence Jenkins, Mrs. James Elium.

NOMINATING: Rev. Luther Bullard, Chairman; Mrs. Herman Hood, Archie Livingood, W. C. Abernathy, Jim Elium.

AUDIO-VISUAL AIDS: Rev. John E. Carter, Chairman; Charles Collins, Rev. Bobby Seagroves, Rev. Leroy Cooper, Mrs. J. C. Scruggs.

CAMP DEVELOPMENT: Mrs. Luther Bullard, Chairman; Grady Queen, Conrad Bost.

HISTORICAL: Mrs. J. Earle Blalock, Chairman; Mrs. Reuben Hellard, Mrs. H. M. Hocutt.

EVANGELISM: Rev. Gordon Pope, Chairman; Rev. Banks Mullis, Rev. John H. Simpson, Graham Carlton, Rev. Howard Wilkins.

JUVENILE DELINQUENCY AND REHABILITATION: Edwin Koontz, Chairman; Ed Turrentine, Robert M. Davis.

PROPERTY: T. R. Stepp, Chairman; Harold Myers, Elmer Phipps.

CONSTITUTION: Graham Carlton, Chairman; Clarence Wise, Rev. Dolph Robinson.

TIME-PLACE-PREACHER: Rev. Ralph Hammett, Chairman; Rev. Ronald McSwain, Rev. Clarence Jenkins.

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2. Children's Homes ..... Rev. J. A. Richardson
3. Homes For The Aging ..... Rev. Clay Barnes
4. Christian Literature ..... Rev. Ken Bobo
5. Minister's Retirement ..... Rev. Victor Cole
6. American Bible Society ..... W. M. Anthony
7. Baptist Hospital ..... Rev. Banks Mullis
8. Cooperative Program ..... Gerald Herrin
9. Baptist Foundation ..... Mrs. John E. Carter
10. Rowan Cooperative Christian Ministry .... Rev. Luther Bullard

Respectfully submitted,
REV. JOHN H. SIMPSON, Chairman
MRS. SYD DIBRELL
MR. T. R. STEPP

RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE

We, your Resolutions Committee, present the following:

BE IT RESOLVED:

1. That we express our profound gratitude to the Milford Hills and Enon Churches for inviting us to enjoy the comfort and beauty of their new sanctuaries for this the Forty-Third Session of the Rowan Baptist Association.

2. That we express our thanks to the program committee, along with all who have had a part in making both sessions superb.

3. That we give God the Glory for what has been accomplished during the year in and through our churches. We dedicate ourselves heart, soul, mind, and body afresh to Him and His service as we go forward together in the name and the power of the Lord Jesus Christ.

4. That in this sin-sick world we stand without reserve for the faith once delivered to the saints, and to our churches and country.

Respectfully submitted,
CLAY R. BARNES, Chairman
MRS. JAMES ELIUM
CLARENCE JENKINS

REPORT OF CAMP DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

During the past year the Camp Development Committee has been in touch with all the churches in the Association through a questionnaire to determine the interest of individual churches in an associational camp. Twelve responses to the first question, asked to determine the use of facilities if they were available, ranged from "often" to "not much."

"What priority in need, as far as your particular church program is concerned, would you recommend?" was the second question. "Picnic and playground area" was the first choice, with "overnight camping for boys," and "swimming" second and third, respectively. In response to the question, "What type of program, or programs, would you like for the Association to plan as a supplement to the individual church organizations' use of the camp?" there was listed as follows: "(1) Associational level competitive sports (boys and girls); (2) Youth Retreats; and (3) G. A. and R. A. camps for those who do not get to attend a state camp."

In addition to contact with church leaders, the committee asked Larry Haslam, Camping Consultant of the Church Recreational Department, SBC, for guidance. He suggested that the Association would need 30-45 acres of land to develop for future use, or half that much property if it adjoined a county, state park, or church recreational lot.

Perhaps you are asking, "Why has the property which was designated for a camp site not been used?" It is true that the Association acquired a tract of land, 14 miles east of Salisbury, consisting of 47.6 acres in 1957 with the understanding that it would be developed into a camp. However, the cost of building a road to reach the property was prohibitive, and, in addition to the amount needed to build a road, it would take more funds annually to develop a camp and maintain it.

Whereas, there is $3,022.32 designated by the Association for camp development, and

Whereas, the camp is non-existant and the committee cannot function according to the By-Laws of the Constitution of the Rowan Baptist Association which states that, "This committee shall have general supervision of the Associational camp which is located in the eastern part of Rowan County",

Therefore, the committee wants to go on record as supporting the use of camping for the teaching of Christian living. Bob Banks, in "The Worth of Church Camping," writes that ". . . the

majority of church-related vocational decisions are either initiated or culminated in church camps." On this basis the committee asks the Association to review its interest in a camp and take some action to clarify the matter which has been before the Association for thirteen years.

In the meantime, the committee urges churches to use the facilities of Rowan County, the state Baptist camps, and the lodge of First Baptist (that may be used by reservation) to promote fellowship, learning, and Christian growth experiences.

Respectfully submitted,
BETTIE BULLARD (MRS. L. S.)
GRADY QUEEN
CONRAD BOST

HISTORICAL REPORT

Two of our beautiful new suburban churches were hosts to the Rowan Baptist Association on Tuesday and Wednesday, October 27th and 28th, 1970. Both of these two lovely churches have recently occupied and dedicated sanctuaries. Milford Hills was host on Tuesday evening for an interesting and informative session. Dr. John T. Holland is pastor. Enon was host to Wednesday's session, where Rev. Luther Bullard is pastor. A brief history of the host churches is given as follows:

Milford Hills

The Milford Hills Baptist Church was first organized as a mission of First Baptist Church of Salisbury in 1955 and met in the Veterans Building on Brenner Avenue. Eventually they acquired the property on the corner of Statesville Blvd. and East Colonial Drive and proceeded to construct a first educational unit.

Soon after completion in 1960, the mission was organized into the Milford Hills Baptist Church. In 1966 a lovely parsonage was completed and the church began making immediate plans to build a sanctuary. The sanctuary and additional renovation of the educational building was completed during the year of 1969-70 at a total cost of $180,000. At present, all their property is valued at about $330,000. Present membership now totals about 380.

The church has had two pastors: Rev. Charles Lemley, who served the church for about 10 years; and Dr. John T. Holland who became pastor in April, 1966.

Enon

On November 14, 1900, Enon Baptist Church was organized with six members. Elder J. N. Stallings was the first pastor and served until December of the year 1904. The Sunday School was organized on April 15, 1903, but it was 1906 before construction began on the first building.

During the past 70 years, twelve men have served as pastor of Enon, and three men have been ordained to the ministry. Dedication of the present sanctuary on August 30, 1970, was the fulfillment of many years of dreams and plans, under the leadership of God.

Although our overall program has not been spectacular, our churches have been and are moving forward under the guidance of our Heavenly Father and we are growing. Oakland Heights Mission was constituted into a church on June 14, 1970 and was accepted and became a member of the Rowan Association. Rev. John H. Simpson has been called as pastor and under his loving and enthusiastic guidance the little church is bravely and proudly moving forward to glorify our Christ, and bless the world. Many churches have celebrated homecomings and other fellowship gatherings to warm the hearts of their people and revel in cherished times together. Togetherness is a powerful factor among our people and these are wonderful growing opportunities. Our churches are becoming more spiritual and more aware of the perilous time in which we live. Many of our young people feel there is no tomorrow for them. This attitude calls for the strongest, finest and most deeply dedicated Christian strength and living. Our offerings to Cooperative program grows as do all of our other gifts, for this we are grateful. Many churches have had lovely Coronations in GA work and our Baptist Men are helping as sponsors of our RA work.

The Women are progressing in their sessions of Bible study, ministry to the needy, Week of Prayer and Special sessions. We may not have too much in number growth but we are striving to follow the leadership and direction of our Heavenly Father.

Salisbury First is looking hopefully to the establishment of a Mission at Neal Estates in the near future. Neal Estates is a Suburban residential section several miles out of the city and is largely populated by Fiber Industry people. Salisbury First has called Mr. Douglas Ludlum as minister of music.

Canaan — Two Sunday School rooms added to church building.

East Corinth — Called Rev. W. M. Anthony as new pastor.

Eastside — Adopted a budget, carpeted the nursery and began a library and pastor's study.

Emmanuel — Note burning May 17, 1970, signifying church debt paid in full.

Enon — Sanctuary was dedicated at homecoming services August 30, 1970.

Franklin — We had our first homecoming this year.

Milford Hills — Finished construction of Sanctuary.

North Main — Partition was removed in class room, painted walls and floor covering for 2 rooms.

Oakdale — Rev. H. M. Hocutt retired at end of March, completing 15 years at this church. Rev. Aubrey Folk has been called as new pastor.

Oakland Heights — Became a church June 14, 1970. New pews and carpet added, building renovated and new parking lot finished.

Salisbury, First — Ordained Mr. Ken Bobo December 13, 1969.

Trading Ford — Celebrated church's 100th anniversary.

The digest of church letters showed total baptisms 318, a gain of 30 over last year. We now have 11,903 Baptists in Rowan County according to church letters. We showed a loss of 119 in our Sunday School; a gain of 460 in Training Union; a loss of 93 in W. M. U. and a gain of 57 in Baptist Men; also a loss of 134 in Vacation Bible School.

May our beloved pastors and people alike pray in deep devotion that our growth and progress may lift our hearts closer to the Eternal One and may be pleasing in His sight, and a blessing to humanity and the world. We thank Him for His mercy and love to us — Blessed be the name of the Lord!

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGIA BLALOCK

Historical Chairman

MUSIC REPORT

The music departments of our churches will direct their effort and attention to emphasis on witnessing throughout this year and work for more people to participate in the choirs. Our literature is the very best and work shops and clinics are always available for the asking. We shall pledge to make our music a greater influence and a warmer and more moving witnessing power this year.

Our reports show we are improving over last year which we shall continue to do under the loving guidance and direction of our Heavenly Father.

The enrollment according to church letters are:

Beginners	32
Primaries	88
Juniors	175
Intermediates	152
Young People	131
Adults	523
Vocal Ensembles	33
Instrumental Ensembles	1
General Officers	38
TOTAL	1,098

Respectfully submitted,
GEORGIA BLALOCK
Music Chairman

OUR BELOVED DEAD

CALVARY: Mrs. Ford Chunn, Mrs. William Almon, Mrs. John Weant, Mr. Carl Jacobs, Deacon, Mr. D. N. Swicegood, Mr. Cecil Davis, Mr. George Holshouser, Mrs. D. H. Watkins, Sr., Mr. A. B. McCurdy.

CHINA GROVE, FIRST: Mrs. Martin Luther, Mrs. J. F. Mauldin.

COOLEEMEE, FIRST: Mr. Henry Foster, Mrs. E. C. Tatum, Sr., Mrs. H. E. Barnes.

DUNN'S MOUNTAIN: Mrs. W. T. Elium, Sr., Mr. J. C. Collins, Mrs. Emma G. Rothwell.

EAST CORINTH: Mr. George Bean, Mr. Claude Deese.

ENON: Mrs. L. A. Sheets, Mr. Lester Hendrix, Mr. J. H. Penly, Mrs. Ruth Swicegood, Mr. Johnny M. Myers, Mr. J. J. Honeycutt, Mr. Arnold Dunn.

FAITH: Mr. Cleave Gantt, Mrs. S. G. Hinson.

FRANKLIN: Miss Debbie Ball.

LANDIS: Mrs. Lucille Dudley, Mrs. Nellie Wilson, Mr. Vance Childers, Mrs. Roy Mathis, Mrs. Hessie Watts.

MILFORD HILLS: Mr. John Earle Bomar, Mrs. E. O. Pinkham, Mrs. Ben Austin.

NEEDMORE: Mr. W. J. McDaniel, Mr. W. W. Beam, Deacon.

NORTH MAIN: Mr. W. R. Spry, Deacon, Mrs. Ruby Trexler, Mrs. A. O. Brantley, Mrs. Ella Beck, Mr. Platto Pruitt, Mr. W. G. Litaker.

OAKDALE: Mrs. Vera Beck, Mr. Preston Styers, Mr. Noah Wyatt, Mrs. Addie Rimer, Mrs. Lee Snyder, Mrs. A. F. Coppley, Miss Gladys Walton, Mr. George Lanning.

OAKLAND HEIGHTS: Mr. & Mrs. E. S. Brown, Mrs. C. A. Beck, Mrs. J. L. Hamilton, Mr. J. A. Frye.

PINE RIDGE: Mrs. Ginger Shuffler.

ROCKWELL: Mr. Lee Smith.

ROWAN MILLS: Mrs. Leila Ervin, Mrs. T. H. Sasser, Mrs. Mary Albright Trexler, Mr. N. F. Waller.

SALISBURY, FIRST: Mr. Robert Beasley, Mr. Ernest Bivens, Mr. J. E. DeWeese, Mr. C. T. Gardner, Mrs. J. M. Gupton, Mrs. T. A. Ludwick, Mrs. S. W. Ludwig, Mr. Bert Morris, Mr. Bernard Morton, Mrs. A. F. Pickler, Mrs. J. W. Reed, Mr. G. H. Webb, Mr. C. W. Windsor, Mr. W. R. Yost.

SOUTHSIDE: Mr. James Ennis, Mr. Freddy Crook, Mrs. Pearl Brittian, Mrs. Emory Branch.

SPENCER, FIRST: Mr. P. D. Jones, Deacon, Mr. H. L. Watlington, Mrs. L. J. Plott, Mrs. H. L. Suggs.

STALLINGS MEMORIAL: Mrs. Margaret Reeves, Mr. Dudley Hall, Mrs. John Page, Mrs. Charles F. Limerick, Mrs. D. M. Herrin, Mrs. Joyce B. Mills, Mrs. L. E. Thomas.

TRADING FORD: Mrs. Sarah Crowell, Mr. H. C. Park, Mrs. Ernest Crowell, Sr., Mrs. E. L. Holder.

TRINITY: Mrs. W. O. Aycoth, Mr. A. P. Young, Mrs. G. T. VonCannon, Mr. S. H. Bridges.

YADKIN: Mr. Otha Grubb.

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Emmanuel: Richard Morefield .... 218 S. Long St., Salisbury 28144
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Larry Dean Proctor ..... P.O. Box 41, Spencer 28159

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Dunn's Mountain: Steve Fink (L) —
Gardner Webb College, Boiling Springs 28017
Salisbury, First: Ken Bobo (O) P.O. Box 198, Salisbury 28144
Stallings Memorial: Roby I. Linebarger (L) —
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No Missions sponsored by Rowan Baptist Association at this time.

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Eastside: Mrs. Bernard Trexler .... Rt. 5, Box 632, Salisbury 28144
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Enon: Mrs. Betty McPherson .... Eagle Heights, Salisbury 28144
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Stallings Memorial: Mrs. C. Reuben Hellard —
1931 Rosemont, Salisbury 28144
Trading Ford: Mrs. Grady Queen ..... Rt. 4, Salisbury 28144
West Corinth: Mrs. Roy McCreary ..... Rt. 3, Mooresville 28115

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Calvary: Miss Nelda Chunn ..... Route 8, Salisbury 28144
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China Grove, South: Mrs. B. J. Pinyan —
608 Mitchum St., China Grove 28023
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507 S. Iredell Ave., Spencer 28159
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Dunn's Mountain: Mrs. Douglas Jones —
P.O. Box 519, Misenheimer 28109
East Corinth: Mrs. J. D. Goodman —
Route 1, Box 171, Gold Hill 28071
East Spencer, First: Mrs. H. D. Shelton ..... East Spencer 28039
Eastside: Miss Karen Lynn Trexler —
Rt. 5, Box 632, Salisbury 28144
Emmanuel: Miss Louise Smith ..... Granite Quarry 28072
Enon: Mrs. Betti Bullard ..... Route 9, Box 170, Salisbury 28144
Faith: Mrs. Terry Jones ..... Route 5, Salisbury 28144
Franklin: Mrs. LaWanda Parchment —
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Gold Hill: Mrs. D. L. Bame ..... Rt. 1, Gold Hill 28071
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Statistical Tables

TABLE A CHURCH AND MEMBERSHIP

CHURCHES	PASTORS AND ADDRESSES	Year organized as a church	Location (1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-0-)	Services held twice on Sunday? Yes or No	Total Baptisms	Other additions (by letter, statement, etc.)	Members lost (by letter, death, statement, etc.)	Present resident members	Present nonresident members	Grand total present members	No. members received from non-Baptist denom.	No. members lost to non-Baptist denominations	Value of pastor's home if owned by the church	Value of church property incl. pastor's home	Total church debt at end of this assoc. year
Calvary	J. A. Richardson, Jr., Route 8, Salisbury, 28144	1895	1	Yes	24	8	20	457	65	522			25,000	185,000	
Canaan	Julius D. Hogsed, Route 3, Box 910, Salisbury, 28144	1960	1	Yes		13	2	146	7	153			11,000	38,000	16,210
China Grove: First	Bobby Seagroves, 406 W. Patterson St., China Grove, 28023	1888	3	Yes	15	12	28	272	91	363	4	6	25,000	178,500	27,932
China Grove: South	Gordon Pope, P.O. Box 163, China Grove 28023	1928	3	Yes	13	4	12	223	40	263	2		15,000	112,000	5,441
Community	Larry C. Linker, 507 S. Iredell Ave., Spencer 28159	1950	6	Yes	20	9	62	120	4	124	1		15,000	40,000	16,000
Cooleemee: First	None	1901	3	Yes	25	2	15	444	100	544			30,000	200,000	
Corriher Heights	Max L. Vanderburg, Rt. 2, Box 470-A, China Grove, 28023	1950	2	Yes			8	49	46	95		1		40,000	
Dunn's Mountain	Ronald W. McSwain, Rt. 10, Box 160, Salisbury, 28144	1905	2	Yes	15	17	24	309	60	369	1		10,000	195,000	
East Corinth	W. M. Anthony, Route 1, Box 175, Gold Hill, 28071	1867	1	No		6	8	72	55	127		2	10,000	25,000	
East Spencer: First	J. O. Walton, Route 5, Lexington 27292 (Interim)	1921	3	Yes	5	8	12	106	44	150	1	1	16,000	37,500	
Eastside	W. H. Wilkins, Route 10, Box 625, Salisbury, 28144	1953	1	Yes	1	2	2	67	14	81			12,000	32,000	3,816
Emmanuel	Joe Richards, 605 E. Cemetery Street, Salisbury, 28144	1950	4	Yes	3	5	16	260	38	298		3	23,000	111,000	
Enon	Luther S. Bullard, Route 9, Box 170, Salisbury, 28144	1900	7	No	5	7	22	268	44	312	2	1	20,000	315,000	140,000
Faith	L. C. Pinnix, P.O. Box 84, Faith 28041	1898	3	Yes	6	8	8	285	36	321	1	1	30,000	230,000	18,741
Franklin	Carl Kincaid, Route 8, Box 635, Salisbury, 28144	1968	6	Yes	4	9	3	113		113		2		50,000	10,872
Gold Hill	D. L. Bame, Route 1, Gold Hill, 28071	1874	2	No	1	6	7	63	44	107		1	8,500	16,500	
Landis	Dolph Robinson, P.O. Box 8, Landis, 28088	1926	4	Yes	6	12	13	810	186	996			18,000	281,000	
Milford Hills	John T. Holland, 1300 E. Colonial Drive, Salisbury 28144	1960	7	Yes	20	52	24	351	30	381	7	1	30,000	330,000	170,000
Needmore	Wade H. James, Route 1, Box 54, Woodleaf, 27054	1943	1	No	3	1	5	129	43	172				41,000	
North Main Street	Ralph C. Hammett, 119 E. 13th Street, Salisbury 28144	1909	5	Yes	1	1	17	287	212	499		3	26,364	118,000	
Oakdale	Aubrey D. Folk, 115 Charles Street, Spencer, 28159	1925	4	Yes	4	2	22	351	117	468	1	5	45,000	145,000	
Oakland Heights	John H. Simpson, Route 5, Salisbury (Interim)	1970	6	Yes	20	25	58	76		76	6				
Pine Ridge	None	1940	1	Yes	3		4	101	33	134		1	4,000	50,000	2,631
Providence	Hulin Roberts, 613 East Ketchie Street, China Grove 28023	1960	3	No	2	5	2	68		68				27,000	1,238
Rockwell	C. V. Talbert, Route 3, Salisbury, 28144	1906	3	No		2	15	138	49	187		14		61,000	
Rowan Mills	LeRoy Cooper, Route 2, Box 204, Salisbury, 28144	1925	2	Yes	13	9	29	299	152	451	1	3	25,000	100,000	16,162
Salisbury: First	Victor G. Cole, P.O. Box 198, Salisbury, 28144	1849	5	Yes	25	55	70	900	180	1,080	1	11	40,000	991,807	131,567
Southside	Clarence Jenkins, 517 Morlan Pk. Rd., Salisbury, 28144	1942	7	Yes	24	23	11	478	87	565	5		27,000	132,000	21,500
Spencer: First	Clyde D. Chapman, P.O. Box 156, Spencer, 28159	1898	3	Yes	4	9	20	413	84	497		4	25,000	300,000	
Stallings Memorial	Vernon B. McDaniel, 500 D Avenue, Salisbury, 28144	1899	5	Yes	7	6	26	684	150	834		3	35,000	300,000	15,000
Trading Ford	Banks W. Mullis, Route 4, Salisbury, 28144	1870	1	No	12	10	9	539		539	4		20,000	160,000	
Trinity	W. M. Dameron, 611 S. Carolina Ave., Spencer, 28159	1944	4	Yes	11	11	17	286	62	348	1	2	12,000	95,000	2,998
West Corinth	Horace Moree, Route 3, Mooresville, 28115	1894	1	Yes	10	1	1	232	12	244	1		14,000	92,000	
West Park	Wayne Blanton, Route 2, Rockwell 28138	1940	1	Yes	8	26	11	143		143	2		18,000	75,000	21,475
Wyatts Grove	Clay Barnes, Route 2, Salisbury 28144 (Interim)	1911	1	Yes	2	2	9	94	15	109		1	11,600	50,600	
Yadkin	A. J. Newton, Route 1, Linwood, 27299	1947	2	Yes	6	2	1	129	41	170					
TOTALS					318	370	613	9762	2141	11,903	41	66	601,464	5,154,907	621,583

TABLE B THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

CHURCHES	SUNDAY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENTS AND ADDRESSES	Nursery (under 3) enrolment	Beginners (4-5) enrolment	Primaries (6-8) enrolment	Juniors (9-12) enrolment	Intermediates (13-16) enrol.	Young People Single (17-24) enrolment	Young People Married (17-24) enrolment	Adults (25-34) enrolment	Adults (35-64) enrolment	Adults (65 up) enrolment	Extension dept. enrolment	Cradle roll enrol. (Home ministry)	Young people away (17-24) enrolment	Fellowship Bible classes	General officers	Mission enrolment	Total enrolment	Average weekly attendance	No. new S.S. classes organized last year	Church V.B.S. enrolment	Mission V.B.S. enrolment	Total V.B.S. enrolment
Calvary	Melvin Harmon, Route 8, Box 760, Salisbury, 28144	11	15	16	26	39	28	11	35	66	34	15				8		304	150	1	90		90
Canaan	J. C. Lambert, Route 2, Box 341-A, Rockwell, 28138	7	9	12	22	35			23	37						2		147			93		93
China Grove: First	K. L. Howard, 315 West Park St., China Grove, 28023	20	9	20	30	25	13	12		138		3			18	5		293	172		104		104
China Grove: South	Charles Dunn, 821 S. Bostian St., China Grove, 28023	10	8	11	21	27	9	2	6	38	9	4		1		4		150	88		76		76
Community	Kyle Poteat, 1325 Hillsboro St., Salisbury, 28144	6	8	4	6	16	6	12	17	13	11			3		3	79	184	147	2	73		73
Cooleemee: First	Ray Jordan, Box 423, Cooleemee, 27014	12	17	17	35	77	25	16	48	26	117	10				5		405	182		147		147
Corriher Heights	Mrs. Pauline Harkey, 503 East Rice, Landis, 28088	1	2	4	4	10		3		16						3		43	35		45		45
Dunn's Mountain	Leon Trexler, Route 10, Box 136, Salisbury, 28144	33	24	27	17	24	19	24	34	69	32	9	3	9		4		328	164		172		172
East Corinth	Coy L. Morgan, 1011 Rosemary Ave., Kannapolis, 28081	6	7	7	15	3	4	13	2	3	4			5		5		74	45		36		36
East Spencer: First	Glenn Seaford, Route 4, Box 94, Salisbury, 28144	2	8	7	14	4	12	8	10	30	3			2		2		102	51		34		34
Eastside	W. A. Livengood, Route 10, Box 664, Salisbury, 28144	11	10	15	11	9	6	3	15	6	1					3		90	44		69		69
Emmanuel	James R. Lanning, 816 E. Franklin St., Salisbury, 28144	9	7	13	13	8	10	8	8	51	30	6				4		167	95	1	54		54
Enon	C. G. Wise, Route 9, Box 249, Salisbury, 28144	23	12	30	35	28	27		38	65						3		261	175		120		120
Faith	Claude Beaver, Route 5, Salisbury, 28144	27	23	23	35	31	7	11	16	121	10	18		11		5		338	161		105		105
Franklin	Buddy Rainey, Route 8, Box 120-A, Salisbury, 28144	5	8	18	20	12	11		16	28		1		1		4		124	69	1	60		60
Gold Hill	Raymond File, Route 1, Gold Hill, 28071		12	9	5	5	15		18	12								76	40		46		46
Landis	Charlie Smith, Route 3, China Grove, 28023	19	51	39	58	55	20	41	40	113	40	11	2	11				500	380		170		170
Milford Hills	Bryan Merrill, Route 6, Salisbury, 28144	36	30	47	46	48	12		50	112	5	5	2	6		4		403	160	5	121		121
Needmore	Ronda Saine, Route 1, Woodleaf, 27054	4	13	11	12	12	15		9	48	10			1		5		140			58		58
North Main Street	Howard Hilliard, 502 E. Lafayette St., Salisbury, 28144	14	9	15	21	21	8		40	43	20	12				3		206	101		70		70
Oakdale	Paul Hinkle, Box 191, Spencer, 28159	15	10	16	29	38		30		143		5				3		289	162		48		48
Oakland Heights	Clyde E. Lipe, 1325 Longview Avenue, Salisbury, 28144	5	12	8	14	4	7	4	4	17	1					3		79	50		73		73
Pine Ridge	Bobby Scercy, Route 2, China Grove, 28023	2	3	5	10	11	5	19		28						2		85	69		45		45
Providence	Ernest Lowman, Earnhardt Street, East Spencer, 28039	5	3	2	6	8	2	2	1	18	4					2		53	25				
Rockwell	W. K. Briggs, Route 1, Rockwell, 28138	3	12	9	17	19	15		8	23	23			2		3		134	82		57		57
Rowan Mills	Porter Brinkley, 2031 North Park Dr., Salisbury, 28144	5	6	10	21	19	6	8	15	57	18			1		6		172	95		79		79
Salisbury: First	Charles Hellard, 2010 Rosemont St., Salisbury, 28144	46	30	38	38	129	31	64		213	140	29		57	69	5		889	375		199		199
Southside	Charles R. Evans, Route 2, Stonybrook, Salisbury, 28144	14	12	26	26	21	14		126							3		242	160		118		118
Spencer: First	W. S. Baker, N. Yadkin Ave., Spencer, 28159	6	9	20	29		47		19	49	147	13	17	14		3		373			84		84
Stallings Memorial	Burton C. Barringer, 230 Bellvue Rd., Salisbury, 28144	39	34	38	103	48	30	18	101	77	96	22		20		9		635	303		142		142
Trading Ford	Mrs. L. W. Young, Route 4, Box 716, Salisbury, 28144	31	27	29	51	32	20	16		123	33	10		6		4		382	188		147		147
Trinity	Lonnie Goodman, 608 Carolina Blvd., Salisbury, 28144	6	21	20	18	14	16	32	12	51	26	10	3	4		4	16	253	120		98		98
West Corinth	James Miller, Route 3, Box 300, Mooresville, 28115	19	15	17	27	19	15	22	22	36						4		196	103		88		88
West Park	Ben Patterson, Route 1, Box 177-A, Rockwell, 28138	11	16	12	22	32	22	27								1		143	98		92		92
Wyatts Grove	Ronald File, P.O. Box 385, Rockwell, 28138	6	6	5	8		8		9	15						5		62	36		65		65
Yadkin	Fred Koontz, Route 1, Linwood, 27299	2	14	10	17	9	7	14	30			31						134			81		81
	TOTALS	471	512	610	882	892	492	420	792	1885	814	214	27	154	87	129	95	8456		10	3159		3159

TABLE C TRAINING UNION

CHURCHES	TRAINING UNION DIRECTORS AND ADDRESSES	Nursery (3 or under) enrol	Beginners (4-5) enrolment	Primaries (6-8) enrolment	Juniors (9-12) enrolment	Intermediates (13-16) enrol.	Young people single (17-24) enrolment	Young people married (17-24) enrolment	Adults (25-34) enrolment	Adults (35-64) enrolment	Adults (65 up) enrolment	General officers	Mission enrolment	Total ongoing enrolment	Ongoing average weekly total attendance	Number of new unions organized past year	New member orientation-cum. enrolment	Church leader training-cum. enrol.	Member training projects-cum. enrol.	Grand total ongoing & cum. enrol.
Calvary	Mrs. Nina Koontz, Route 8, Box 211, Salisbury, 28144			4	6	12	8		16			1		47	28					47
Canaan	None																			
China Grove: First	Edd Turrentine, Route 1, Box 74, China Grove, 28023	4	4	7	6	14	12		6	9		4		66	39					66
China Grove: South	None																			
Community	None																			
Cooleemee: First	None																42	65	62	169
Corriher Heights	None																			
Dunn's Mountain	S. A. Mayfield, Route 10, Box 211, Salisbury, 28144	3	8	5	7	12	17			22		3		77	47					77
East Corinth	J. D. Goodman, Route 1, Box 171, Gold Hill, 28071		2	4	5	6				4		3		24						24
East Spencer: First	None																			
Eastside	John Brady, Route 5, Box 649, Salisbury, 28144	8	5	8	5	6	4	12	4			3		55	30					55
Emmanuel	None		2	2	3	5	7			15		4		38	16					38
Enon	None	9		9	11	16			8	26		2		81						81
Faith	Herbert Moody, Box 247, Rockwell, 28138	2	5	2	12		15			18		2		56			5	25	25	111
Franklin	Tom Petty, Route 6, Box 802, Salisbury, 28144	3	2	8	6	7			10			2		38	18					38
Gold Hill	None																			
Landis	Steve Rollins, Route 11, Salisbury, 28144	4	16	11	19	12	13	21	26			4		126	100					126
Milford Hills	None	4	14	14	26	26			40		2	2		128	65		25	10	30	193
Needmore	None																			
North Main Street	Mrs. Bess Braswell, 1701 4th St., Salisbury, 28144	2		5	8	10				16	7	3		51	25					51
Oakdale	None			3	7	10	5		20			2		47	27					47
Oakland Heights	Miss Gail Waller, 1319 Longview Ave., Salisbury, 28144				13		5			8				26		3				26
Pine Ridge	Winford Patterson, Route 2, China Grove, 28023			4	7	5		6		7		2		31	31					31
Providence	None																			
Rockwell	None																			
Rowan Mills	Bill Raymer, Route 2, Box 381, Salisbury, 28144																			
Salisbury: First	Ken Bobo, P.O. Box 198, Salisbury, 28144	9	8	8	12	50				27		4		118	65		64	128	77	387
Southside	None																			
Spencer: First	Jack Pickett, 608 Tenth St., Spencer, 28159			3	11	4				24	8			50						50
Stallings Memorial	Mrs. Relina M. Humphrey, 118 Corriher Ave., Salisbury, 28144	9	9	9	25	20	18	10	10	18		5		133	67	1				133
Trading Ford	Ronald Queen, Route 4, Salisbury, 28144	3	2	4	6	11			16			2		44	26					44
Trinity	Harris Turner, Route 1, Box 341, Salisbury, 28144		4	3	5		11		13	15		3		54	36					54
West Corinth	None																			
West Park	None																			
Wyatts Grove	None																			
Yadkin	None																			
TOTALS		60	81	113	200	226	115	49	169	209	17	51		1290		4	136	228	194	1848

TABLE D MUSIC MINISTRY

CHURCHES	MUSIC DIRECTORS AND ADDRESSES	Beginners (4-5) enrolment	Primaries (6-8) enrolment	Juniors (9-12) enrolment	Intermediates (13-16) enrol.	Young people single & married enrolment	Adults enrolment	Vocal ensembles	Instrumental ensembles	General officers	Total enrolment	Average weekly attendance	No. choirs, ensembles, etc. organized past yr.
Calvary	Mrs. Ed Russell, Route 8, Salisbury, 28144			3	8	4	10				25	12	
Canaan	J. B. Hinson, Route 11, Box 900, Salisbury, 28144												
China Grove: First	Mrs. L. B. Thomas, P.O. Box 6, China Grove, 28023					6	11		1	4	22	14	
China Grove: South	William C. Abernathy, Route 11, Box 255, Salisbury, 28144		4	15	8	5	16			1	49	25	
Community	Mrs. Bill H. Peeler, 321 Calhoun St., Salisbury, 28144	4	4	4	8	9	17	10			56	56	6
Cooleemee: First	Ken Fogner, Jr., Route 10, Box 248, Salisbury, 28144	6	15		32		28				81		
Corriher Heights	Mrs. Pauline Harkey, 503 East Rice, Landis, 28088												
Dunn's Mountain	Lynn Hopkins, Route 8, Box 442, Salisbury, 28144		6	15	18	15	12			5	71	25	
East Corinth	J. D. Goodman, Route 1, Box 171, Gold Hill, 28071		2	2	3	4	10			2	23	18	
East Spencer: First	W. H. Walton, Route 8, Salisbury, 28144						11				11	9	
Eastside	Miss Betty Freeman, Route 10, Box 618, Salisbury, 28144				1	2	9	1		4	17	9	
Emmanuel	Jack Thomas, 101 S. Spencer Avenue, Spencer, 28159					4	16				20	12	
Enon	None		15	12		4	10				41	14	
Faith	Mrs. L. C. Pinnix, P.O. Box 84, Faith, 28041			20		20	22			4	66	49	2
Franklin	Buddy Rainey, Route 8, Box 120-A, Salisbury, 28144												
Gold Hill	George Connell, P.O. Box 115, Gold Hill, 28071												
Landis	Elmer Thomas Phipps, 409 W. Merritt Ave., Salisbury, 28144						75				75	55	
Milford Hills	Mrs. Howard Dorris, Route 6, Salisbury, 28144	14	14	26	26		20				100		
Needmore	Mrs. R. C. West, Route 1, Woodleaf, 27054												
North Main Street	Mrs. B. W. Hendrix, Route 6, Salisbury, 28144		6	15			25				46		
Oakdale	Marvin Wigginton, Catawba College, Salisbury, 28144						20				20		
Oakland Heights	Miss Barbara Dillon, Route 1, Box 2703, Cleveland, 27013					14					14		
Pine Ridge	Mrs. Lee Crawford, Route 2, China Grove, 28023			15			18				33	12	
Providence	None												
Rockwell	Wentworth Beck, Box 172, Faith, 28041						20				20	17	
Rowan Mills	Carl C. Doby, Old Mocksville Rd., Salisbury, 28144												
Salisbury: First	Doug Ludlum, 304-B Mahaley Ave., Salisbury, 28144	8	18	10	25		25	20		9	115	94	
Southside	Donnie Black, Route 5, Salisbury, 28144						25				25		
Spencer: First	Mrs. Lucille Epperson, Catawba College, Salisbury, 28144			15			17				3/		
Stallings Memorial	Charles R. Bolden, Route 1, Box 283, Salisbury, 28144				6	16	26			2	50	35	
Trading Ford	Edwin E. Koontz, Route 4, Salisbury, 28144					10	24			5	39	22	
Trinity	T. H. Beckom, 1107 Rowan Ave., Spencer, 28159			6	5	10	15			2	38	28	
West Corinth	James Miller, Route 3, Box 300, Mooresville, 28115		4	8	6	4	12	2			36		
West Park	Edwin Sprinkle, Route 3, Box 210, Salisbury, 28144												
Wyatts Grove	Norman Beam, Route 1, Richfield, 28137					4	13				17		1
Yadkin	Tommy Lanning, Box 1100, Salisbury, 28144			9	6		16				31		
	TOTALS	32	88	175	152	131	523	33	1	38	1173		9

TABLE E BROTHERHOOD WORK

CHURCHES	DIRECTORS OF MEN'S BROTHERHOODS AND ADDRESSES	Ungraded RA chapters	Ungraded RA chapters enrol.	Crusaders (9-11) chapters	Crusaders (9-11) enrolment	Pioneers (12-14) chapters	Pioneers (12-14) enrolment	Ambassadors (15-17) chapters	Ambassadors (15-17) enrol.	Total RA chapters	Total RA enrolment	Baptist Young Men enrol.	Baptist Men enrolment	Total men enrolled	Total enrolment
Calvary	John Lee Smith, Route 8, Salisbury, 28144			1	15	1	7	1	2	3	24		15	15	39
Canaan	None	1	10							1	10				10
China Grove: First	Charles Collins, P.O. Box 706, China Grove, 28023	1	8							1	8		38	38	46
China Grove: South	William C. Abernathy, Route 11, Box 255, Salisbury, 28144												6	6	6
Community	Bill H. Peeler, 321 Calhoun St., Salisbury, 28144	1	7							1	7		12	12	19
Cooleemee: First	None			1	20	1	12			2	32		25	25	57
Corriher Heights	None														
Dunn's Mountain	Kenneth Miller, Route 10, Box 277, Salisbury, 28144			1	15					1	15		20	20	35
East Corinth	None														
East Spencer: First	None														
Eastside	Jerry Eddleman, Route 5, Box 630, Salisbury, 28144	1	1					1	4	2	5		8	8	13
Emmanuel	C. L. Lentz, Route 10, Box 644, Salisbury, 28144	1	9	1	12					2	21		17	17	38
Enon	Harold Cartner, Route 1, Woodleaf, 27054	1	20							1	20		30	30	50
Faith	Jim Holshouser, Faith, 28041			1	8	1	6	1	5	3	19		35	35	54
Franklin	Harold Hamilton, Route 1, Box 643, Salisbury, 28144					1	10	1	6	2	16		7	7	23
Gold Hill	None														
Landis	Charlie Smith, Route 3, China Grove, 28023	1	21							1	21		27	27	48
Milford Hills	H. Joe Jarrell, 1235 E. Colonial Drive, Salisbury, 28144			1	17	1	8			2	25		35	35	60
Needmore	None														
North Main Street	None														
Oakdale	None												25	25	25
Oakland Heights	None	1	8							1	8				8
Pine Ridge	E. L. Morgan, Route 2, China Grove, 28023												10	10	10
Providence	None														
Rockwell	O. T. Medley, Box 125, Rockwell, 28138												9	9	9
Rowan Mills	None														
Salisbury: First	Duncan Rogers, 1633 Wiltshire Rd., Salisbury, 28144			1	10	1	12			2	22		30	30	52
Southside	None	1	14							1	14				14
Spencer: First	James Lomax, Charles St., Spencer, 28159												26	26	26
Stallings Memorial	C. Reuben Hellard, 1931 Rosemont, Salisbury, 28144			1	12	1	14	1	10	3	36		42	42	78
Trading Ford	W. H. Snider, Route 4, Salisbury, 28144												32	32	32
Trinity	Jerry Brooks, Route 8, Box 62-C, Spencer, 28159	1	4							1	4	12		12	16
West Corinth	James Miller, Route 3, Box 300, Mooresville, 28115	1	16							1	16	4	12	16	32
West Park	Lewis Kepley, Route 3, Box 487, Salisbury, 28144												17	17	17
Wyatts Grove	None														
Yadkin	George Mahala, Route 1, Linwood, 27299	1	15							1	15		15	15	30
	TOTALS	12	133	8	109	7	69	5	27	32	338	16	493	509	847

TABLE F WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

CHURCHES	WMU PRESIDENTS AND ADDRESSES	Sunbeam Nursery organizations	Sunbeam Nursery enrolment	Beginner Sunbeam Band organizations	Beginner Sunbeam Band enrolment	Primary Sunbeam Band orgs.	Primary Sunbeam Band enrolment	Ungraded Sunbeam Band orgs.	Ungraded Sunbeam Band enrolment	Junior GA org.	Junior GA enrol.	Intermediate GA organizations	Intermediate GA enrolment	Ungraded GA organizations	Ungraded GA enrol.	High school YWA orgs.	High school YWA enrolment	Ungraded YWA organizations	Ungraded YWA enrolment	WMS organizations	WMS enrolment	Grand total organ.	Grand total enrolment	No. mission study groups	No. mission prayer groups	No. mission action groups
Calvary	Mrs. G. A. Watson, Jr., Route 8, Box 94, Salisbury, 281							1	23	1	7	1	14					1	10	1	25	5	79	1	1	1
Canaan	Mrs. Jewel Stallings, 1229 Bell St., Salisbury, 28144							1	8	1	8	1	12			1	5			1	19	5	52			
China Grove: First	Mrs. Edd Turrentine, Route 1, Box 74, China Grove, 280			1	15	1	4			1	4	1	5					1	3	1	49	6	80	2	1	2
China Grove: South	Mrs. Bobby Talbert, P.O. Box 243, China Grove, 28023																			1	18	1	18			1
Community	Mrs. Tommy Leazer, 517 E. Lafayette St., Salisbury, 281							1	5					1	13					1	12	3	30			
Cooleemee: First	Mrs. J. R. Overcash, Route 1, Woodleaf, 27054							1	15	2	22	1	10							1	25	5	72	1	1	
Corriher Heights	Mrs. Carlene Crouch, Route 3, China Grove, 28023																			1	20	1	20			
Dunn's Mountain	Mrs. S. A. Mayfield, Route 10, Box 211, Salisbury, 2814	1	10	1	21	2	25			1	12	1	9					1	9	1	18	8	104	1		1
East Corinth	Mrs. W. M. Anthony, Route 1, Box 175, Gold Hill, 2807													1	11					1	9	2	20			
East Spencer: First	Mrs. Spurgeon Huneycutt, Box 25, East Spencer, 28039			1	5	1	7			1	3	1	2			1	4			1	16	6	37	1	1	1
Eastside	Mrs. Clyde Goodman, Route 2, Box 35-P, Rockwell, 281	1	4									1	7							1	8	3	19			
Emmanuel	Mrs. C. L. Lentz, Route 10, Box 644, Salisbury, 28144							1	5	1	5	1	4							1	15	4	29	1	1	
Enon	Mrs. Della Cartner, Route 1, Woodleaf, 27054			1	12	1	13			1	10	1	4							3	60	7	99			
Faith	Mrs. L. C. Pinnix, P.O. Box 84, Faith, 28041	1	4	1	5	1	6			1	13	1	11					1	12	1	28	7	79	2	1	
Franklin	Mrs. Thelma Grubb, Route 1, Box 688, Salisbury, 28144							1	8	1	6	1	10							1	12	4	36	2		
Gold Hill	Mrs. D. L. Bame, Route 1, Gold Hill, 28071																			1	9	1	9	1	1	1
Landis	Miss Adrian Bradshaw, 209 W. Ryder Ave., Landis, 2808	1	52							1	10	1	12							1	65	4	139		3	3
Milford Hills	Mrs. Louisa Greene, 132 E. Corriher Ave., Salisbury, 281			1	10	1	15			1	15	1	9							1	25	5	74	1	1	1
Needmore	Mrs. Wade H. James, Route 1, Box 54, Woodleaf, 27054			1	5	1	11							1	15					1	23	4	54			
North Main Street	Mrs. A. L. Collins, 313 N. Boundary St., Salisbury, 2814			1	2	1	2			1	10									1	40	5	61	1	1	1
Oakdale	Mrs. W. L. Noles, Route 4, Box 756, Salisbury, 28144			1	6	1	12			1	8	1	4					1	15	1	82	6	127	1	3	2
Oakland Heights	Mrs. Peggy Lipe, 1325 Longview Ave., Salisbury, 28144							1	9	1	6	1	10									3	25			
Pine Ridge	Mrs. Lee Crawford, Route 2, China Grove, 28023							1	6					1	7					1	12	3	25	1	1	1
Providence	Mrs. Josie Beckom, Shaver Street, East Spencer, 28039																			1	12	1	12			
Rockwell	Mrs. Paul Jones, Route 1, Rockwell, 28138			1	5					1	7									1	14	3	26			
Rowan Mills	Mrs. LeRoy Cooper, Route 2, Box 204, Salisbury, 28144					1	7			1	6	1	6							1	8	4	27			
Salisbury: First	Mrs. Charles Hellard, 2010 Rosemont St., Salisbury, 281	1	13	2	12	3	27			1	15	1	13							1	88	9	168	5	1	4
Southside	Mrs. J. C. Earnhardt, Route 3, Box 30, Salisbury, 28144							1	12	1	12	1	9							1	40	4	73	1	1	1
Spencer: First	Mrs. J. C. Scruggs, 198 N. Yadkin Avenue, Spencer, 281							1	15	1	12	1	6							1	74	4	107	4		1
Stallings Memorial	Mrs. James C. Elium, Route 5, Box 59, Salisbury, 28144			1	5	1	10	1	8	1	17	1	7			1	12			1	105	7	164	6		1
Trading Ford	Mrs. Banks W. Mullis, Route 4, Salisbury, 28144			1	28					1	9	1	7							1	31	5	79	1	1	1
Trinity	Mrs. W. M. Dameron, 611 Carolina Ave., Spencer, 28159							1	6					1	5			1	8	1	24	4	43	1	1	1
West Corinth	Mrs. Roy Coone, Route 3, Box 320, Mooresville, 28115							1	10	1	5	1	8							1	14	4	37	1	1	1
West Park	Mrs. L. V. Johnson, Route 3, Salisbury, 28144																			1	17	1	17			
Wyatts Grove	None																									
Yadkin	Mrs. Thelma Smith, Route 1, Box 137, Linwood, 27299													1	15					1	18	2	33			
TOTALS		5	83	14	131	15	139	13	130	24	222	22	179	6	66	3	21	6	57	36	1035	146	2074	35	21	25

TABLE G TOTAL RECEIPTS, LOCAL EXPENDITURES, AND STEWARDSHIP INFORMATION

CHURCHES	CHAIRMEN OF DEACONS AND ADDRESSES	Total tithes, offerings, and special gifts other than money	All other receipts	Total receipts	Money borrowed this year	Other church staff salaries	Money paid out on new construction last year	Debt retirement	All other expenditures	Total local expenditures
Calvary	None	28,284		28,284	6,000	9,010			16,598	25,608
Canaan	J. B. Hinson, Route 11, Box 900, Salisbury, 28144	12,646	780	13,426		2,700	5,000	1,944	1,915	11,559
China Grove: First	R. R. Hunter, Route 2, Box 35, China Grove, 28023	36,379		36,379		12,874		6,861	10,132	29,867
China Grove: South	William C. Abernathy, Route 11, Box 255, Salisbury, 28144	17,656		17,656		7,464	1,281	1,980	3,669	14,394
Community	Roy F. Daugherty, Route 2, China Grove, 28023	12,182		12,182		6,045	1,138	1,644	2,241	11,118
Cooleemee: First	Ward Setzer, Box 635, Cooleemee, 27014	38,074		38,074		10,800		6,438	10,355	27,593
Corriher Heights	None	2,926		2,926		792			748	1,540
Dunn's Mountain	S. A. Mayfield, Route 10, Box 211, Salisbury, 28144	28,260	804	29,064		8,815			9,382	18,197
East Corinth	Coy L. Morgan, 1011 Rosemary Ave., Kannapolis, 28081	6,102		6,102		3,486			2,611	6,097
East Spencer: First	J. W. Bean, Route 4, Box 485, Salisbury, 28144	9,444		9,444		4,683			3,652	8,335
Eastside	Jimmy Beck, Route 5, Box 654, Salisbury, 28144	7,624		7,624		3,244		1,200	3,778	8,222
Emmanuel	Richard Morefield, 218 S. Long St., Salisbury, 28144	23,487		23,487		8,650		1,343	5,797	15,790
Enon	Harold Myers, Cleveland, 27013	42,154		42,154	155,000	9,984	124,990	10,067	13,077	158,118
Faith	Duard Gardner, Faith, 28041	42,206		42,206	500	9,190	5,765	5,953	13,929	34,837
Franklin	Robert Ball, Route 1, Bennett Heights, Salisbury, 28144	16,668		16,668		3,719		3,038	4,663	11,420
Gold Hill	Robert Greene, Route 1, Box 300, Gold Hill, 28071	4,700		4,700		3,630			1,286	4,916
Landis	Oscar Abernathy, Jr., 718 N. Chapel St., Landis, 28088	82,321		82,321		19,842	29,549		23,900	73,291
Milford Hills	Bryan Merrill, Route 6, Salisbury, 28144	37,354	1,156	38,510	7,250	11,102	78,010	18,048	10,268	117,428
Needmore	Brady Seamon, P.O. Box 72, Cleveland, 27013	14,059		14,059		4,880			8,447	13,327
North Main Street	J. H. Brower, 202 E. 14th Street, Salisbury, 28144	24,263		24,263		8,342			5,791	14,133
Oakdale	Thomas D. Poole, 1024 N. Salisbury Ave., Spencer, 28159	29,162		29,162		9,151	40,638		21,516	71,305
Oakland Heights	Clyde E. Lipe, 1325 Longview Ave., Salisbury, 28144	13,206		13,206		1,724	4,428		959	7,111
Pine Ridge	Winford Patterson, Route 2, China Grove, 28023	14,693	83	14,776		6,262	775	2,728	2,567	12,332
Providence	None	2,675		2,675		1,200		360	701	2,261
Rockwell	O. T. Medley, Box 125, Rockwell, 28138	11,506	800	12,306		6,020	1,877		862	8,759
Rowan Mills	Homer Land, Route 2, Salisbury, 28144	21,870		21,870		6,440		8,083	6,340	20,863
Salisbury: First	M. E. Bullard, 146 Stratford Place, Salisbury, 28144	137,970		137,970		41,751		22,252	52,965	116,968
Southside	James J. Black, Route 3, Box 65, Salisbury, 28144	30,667		30,667		9,194		4,800	7,136	21,130
Spencer: First	Walter Baker, 411 Spencer Ave., Spencer, 28159	37,480		37,480		14,722			15,499	30,264
Stallings Memorial	A. Lester Peeler, Route 6, Box 593, Salisbury, 28144	72,017		72,017	20,000	15,545	25,000	4,937	38,498	83,980
Trading Ford	A. T. Koontz, Route 4, Salisbury, 28144	42,656		42,656		12,557	9,466		12,779	34,802
Trinity	N. E. Scales, 316 Gillespie, Salisbury, 28144	16,356		16,356		7,400		888	4,225	12,513
West Corinth	Roy Coone, Route 3, Box 320, Mooresville, 28115	23,253		23,253		6,240	2,195	4,262	6,110	18,807
West Park	Jack B. Johnson, P.O. Box 123, Granite Quarry, 28072	14,280		14,280		5,300	1,730	3,080	5,240	15,350
Wyatts Grove	Hubert File, Route 5, Box 511, Salisbury, 28144	6,162		6,162		4,500			726	5,226
Yadkin	Tommy Lanning, Box 1100, Salisbury, 28144	9,745	900	10,645		5,250	922	900	2,089	9,259
	TOTALS	970,487	4,523	975,010	188,750	302,508	332,764	110,806	330,451	1,076,720

TABLE H SPECIAL INFORMATION

CHURCHES	TREASURERS AND ADDRESSES	Does church participate in annuity for pastor? Yes or No	Recreation	Stewardship	History	Missions	Public Relations	Library	State paper in budget	Ch. Council/Cabinet	Ch. Music Council	Radio Ministry	Bapt. Col. & Sem. Day	Filmstrip Projector	Motion Pic. Projector
Calvary	Mrs. Frances McGarity, Route 1, Box 604, Salisbury, 28144	Yes						*	*	*	*		*	*	
Canaan	Lawrence Watts, P.O. Box 144, Faith, 28041	No													
China Grove: First	Sam May, Jr., P.O. Box 105, China Grove, 28023	Yes	*	*		*		*		*				*	*
China Grove: South	B. J. Pinyan, 608 Mitchum St., China Grove, 28023	Yes	*						*						
Community	Roy F. Daugherty, Route 2, China Grove, 28023	No						*	*					*	
Cooleemee: First	Robert Jordan, Box 365, Cooleemee, 27041	Yes							*	*				*	*
Corriher Heights	Mrs. Ruby Cook, Route 3, Box 151, China Grove, 28023	No													
Dunn's Mountain	S. A. Mayfield, Route 10, Box 211, Salisbury, 28144	Yes	*	*	*		*	*		*	*			*	*
East Corinth	J. D. Goodman, Route 1, Box 171, Gold Hill, 28071	No	*												
East Spencer: First	J. W. Bean, Route 4, Box 485, Salisbury, 28144	Yes													
Eastside	Jimmy Beck, Route 5, Box 654, Salisbury, 28144	Yes						*						*	
Emmanuel	R. L. Eller, P.O. Box 594, Salisbury, 28144	Yes						*		*		*		*	*
Enon	Miss Linda R. Swicegood, Route 6, Box 736, Salisbury, 28144	Yes	*		*			*	*	*	*			*	*
Faith	J. C. Eagle, Route 3, Box 150, Salisbury, 28144	Yes						*		*	*		*	*	*
Franklin	Mrs. Thelma Morgan, Rt. 1, Box 677, Salisbury, 28144	No			*			*	*						
Gold Hill	Mrs. R. L. Eudy, P.O. Box 92, Gold Hill, 28071	No													
Landis	Herman Rutledge, Route 2, Box 107-F, Kannapolis, 28081	No										*			
Milford Hills	James B. Edwards, 137 Milford Drive, Salisbury, 28144	Yes	*	*	*			*		*	*		*	*	
Needmore	J. L. Hensley, Route 1, Box 63, Woodleaf, 27054	Yes	*												
North Main Street	J. H. Brower, 202 E. 14th St., Salisbury, 28144	Yes							*					*	*
Oakdale	J. C. Coppley, 115 Herman St., Spencer, 28159	Yes			*			*					*	*	*
Oakland Heights	Mrs. Alvin Waller, 1319 Longview Ave., Salisbury, 28144	No													
Pine Ridge	Norman Valentine, 508 West 21st Street, Kannapolis, 28081	Yes						*							
Providence	Miss Nora Poteat, Box 427, East Spencer, 28039	No													
Rockwell	Wentworth Beck, Box 172, Faith, 28041	No						*							
Rowan Mills	Arnold Beck, 1227 Bell Street, Salisbury, 28144	Yes													
Salisbury: First	John Burdette, P.O. Box 198, Salisbury, 28144	Yes	*			*		*		*	*			*	*
Southside	Hubert Ledbetter, P.O. Box 602, Rockwell, 28138	Yes				*						*			
Spencer: First	A. A. Lomax, Fifth Street Ext., Spencer, 28159	Yes	*								*			*	*
Stallings Memorial	Charles E. Summers, 901 Richard St., Salisbury, 28144	Yes				*		*		*	*			*	*
Trading Ford	Elon F. Massey, Route 4, Box 711, Salisbury, 28144	Yes	*					*						*	
Trinity	B. R. Brown, 311 Maupin Ave., Salisbury, 28144	Yes	*						*	*					
West Corinth	John S. Freeze, Route 3, Mooresville, 28115	No						*	*	*	*			*	
West Park	Jack Johnson, P.O. Box 123, Granite Quarry, 28072	No										*			
Wyatts Grove	Hubert File, Route 5, Box 511, Salisbury, 28144	No								*					
Yadkin	Mrs. Elon Dennis, Route 1, Box 268, Linwood, 27299	No													
	TOTALS														

TABLE I MISSION EXPENDITURES

CHURCHES	CLERKS OF CHURCHES AND ADDRESSES	Cooperative Program	Associational Missions Program	Designated: State missions	Designated: SBC Home Missions	Designated: SBC Foreign Missions	Designated: Christian educ.	Designated: children's homes	Designated: hospitals	Designated: homes for the aged	Designated: all other	Total mission expenditures
Calvary	Mrs. Melvin Harmon, Route 8, Box 760, Salisbury, 28144	4,612	425	75	318	2,757	75	334	188	119	110	9,013
Canaan	Mrs. J. D. Hogsed, Route 3, Box 910, Salisbury, 28144				293	318		115	30			756
China Grove: First	Mrs. Ray Freeze, Route 1, Box 191, China Grove, 28023	6,186	559	107	156	605		109	82	109		7,913
China Grove: South	Mrs. William C. Abernathy, Route 11, Box 255, Salisbury, 28144	1,020	300		104	206		56	125		55	1,866
Community	Mrs. George Denham, Jr., 111 7th St., Spencer, 28159	806	186								50	1,042
Cooleemee: First	Mrs. Dave Cover, Box 36, Cooleemee, 27014	7,500	750	50	350	1,350		105	200		176	10,481
Corriher Heights	Mrs. Shirley Vanderburg, Rt. 2, Box 470-A, China Grove, 28023	42				10			10			62
Dunn's Mountain	Donald J. Livengood, Route 10, Box 225, Salisbury, 28144	2,607	551	245	520	1,956	375	315	234	222	270	7,295
East Corinth	Mrs. Irene A. Morgan, Route 1, Box 154, Gold Hill, 28071	460	244	5	37	25			15	10	5	801
East Spencer: First	Mrs. Richard C. Gobble, Rt. 8, Box 994, Salisbury, 28144	675	110	29	55	130	35	25	50			1,109
Eastside	Mrs. Bernard Trexler, Route 5, Box 632, Salisbury, 28144	561	113	20	29	126		172	23	22	6	1,072
Emmanuel	Mrs. Lillie Messick, 525-A Park Ave., Salisbury, 28144	2,996	657	14	400	758	250	72	82	26	442	5,697
Enon	Mrs. Margaret Kirby, Route 9, Box 248, Salisbury, 28144	3,400	400	13	246	1,105		500	124	48	57	5,893
Faith	Phillip Barger, P.O. Box 122, Faith, 28041	6,127	540	62	257	721			90		357	8,154
Franklin	Mrs. Margie Shoaf, Route 9, Box 613, Salisbury, 28144	1,785	143	50	100	609		111	50	14		2,862
Gold Hill	Mrs. Cardell Hill, Route 2, Gold Hill, 28071	97	15		65	42		10	30			259
Landis	Robert L. Mann, 1400 Birch St., Kannapolis, 28081		520			4,595		900				6,015
Milford Hills	Wayne Goode, 1714 Bellevue Drive, Salisbury, 28144	1,457	200		232	629	50		38	25	50	2,681
Needmore	Miss Gladys Safriet, Route 1, Box 64-A, Woodleaf, 27054	754	195	7	57	81	225	22	14	12		1,367
North Main Street	Mrs. W. R. Davis, 305 N. Milford Drive, Salisbury, 28144	2,231	400	100	252	460	178	139	113	85	20	3,978
Oakdale	Miss Frances Easter, 505 N. Yadkin Ave., Spencer, 28159	3,495	660	1	143	1,081	150	1,230	134	41	812	7,747
Oakland Heights	Miss Lavonne Thompson, P.O. Box 176, East Spencer, 28039	250	150	50	100	300	210	100	50	50	50	1,310
Pine Ridge	Mrs. Norman Valentine, 508 W. 21st Street, Kannapolis, 28081	1,155	578	26	100	234		54	34	20		2,201
Providence	Mrs. Pam Russell, Railroad Ave., East Spencer, 28039		20	5		20		5	5			55
Rockwell	Mrs. Wentworth Beck, Box 172, Faith, 28041	600	120		16	20	200	54	64			1,074
Rowan Mills	Mrs. Hayden Miller, Route 11, Box 570, Salisbury, 28144	1,100	180		101	104		3	6	5		1,499
Salisbury: First	Mrs. Syd Dibrell, P.O. Box 198, Salisbury, 28144	9,280	1,605	985	1,132	3,027	24	282	235	112	1,683	18,365
Southside	Jack E. Howell, Route 7, Box 766, Salisbury, 28144	600	110	3,429		84			100	100	181	4,604
Spencer: First	Mrs. J. C. Scruggs, 198 N. Yadkin Ave., Spencer, 28159	5,700	675	108	228	445		72	88	93	97	7,506
Stallings Memorial	James C. Elium, Route 5, Box 59, Salisbury, 28144	8,835	1,590	153	380	1,730		172	130	25	750	13,765
Trading Ford	Miss Naomi Koontz, Route 4, Salisbury, 28144	3,900	720	600		1,200			200	100	175	6,895
Trinity	C. Ray Brown, 501 6th Street, Spencer, 28159	2,400	300	25	121	285		180	50			3,361
West Corinth	Mrs. Walter Pennell, Route 3, Box 307-A, China Grove, 28023	2,460	617	48	40	275	39	19	29		129	3,656
West Park	Mrs. Lee Allman, Route 5, Box 686, Salisbury, 28144							20	50		720	790
Wyatts Grove	Mrs. Hubert File, Route 5, Box 511, Salisbury, 28144		60		20	160		20	44			304
Yadkin	Tommy Lanning, Box 1100, Salisbury, 28144	384	191		62	365		77	13			1,092
	TOTALS	83,475	13,884	6,207	5,914	25,813	1,811	5,273	2,730	1,238	6,195	152,540

THE HISTORICAL TABLE—ROWAN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Year	Where Held	Preacher	Moderator	Clerk
1927	Salisbury, First	R. N. Huneycutt	C. A. Rhyne	Percy Bloxam
1928	Stallings Memorial	M. W. Gordon	C. A. Rhyne	Percy Bloxam
1929	China Grove, First	J. H. Harris	G. W. Choate	Percy Bloxam
1930	North Main Street	E. L. Bradley	G. W. Choate	R. S. Lennon
1931	Enon	R. O. Brinkley	G. W. Choate	C. W. Crowell
1932	Trading Ford	F. W. Frye	G. W. Choate	C. W. Crowell
1933	North Kannapolis	Arch C. Cree	G. W. Choate	C. W. Crowell
1934	Rockwell	C. A. Rhyne	G. W. Choate	A. L. Jarrell
1935	Oakdale	W. H. James	C. A. Rhyne	A. L. Jarrell
1936	Wyatt's Grove	C. L. Fisher	C. A. Rhyne	A. L. Jarrell
1937	Calvary	D. H. Lowder	C. A. Rhyne	A. L. Jarrell
1938	East Spencer	H. T. Davis	C. A. Rhyne	A. L. Jarrell
1939	Enon	A. L. Campbell	C. A. Rhyne	A. L. Jarrell
1940	West Corinth	L. R. Evans	C. A. Rhyne	A. L. Jarrell
1941	Faith	O. W. Funderburk	R. O. Brinkley	A. L. Jarrell
1942	Salisbury, First	D. L. Woodward	R. O. Brinkley	A. L. Jarrell
1943	Landis	R. W. Harrington	C. A. Rhyne	A. L. Jarrell
1944	North Main Street	Smoot Baker	C. A. Rhyne	A. L. Jarrell
1945	Trading Ford and Salisbury, First	R. A. Ellis	C. A. Rhyne	A. L. Jarrell
1946	Faith and Calvary	E. L. Melton	T. W. Bray	R. A. Ellis
1947	Enon and East Corinth	Clay R. Barnes	R. O. Brinkley	R. A. Ellis
1948	West Corinth and Phaniels	J. C. Hill	R. O. Brinkley	R. A. Ellis
1949	Salisbury, First and Wyatt's Grove	F. P. Blankenship	Clay R. Barnes	R. A. Ellis
1950	Landis and Dunn's Mountain	R. C. Cline	Clay R. Barnes	O. D. Moore
1951	Spencer, First and Salisbury, First and Rockwell	J. C. Gwaltney	N. C. Teague	O. D. Moore
1952	Stallings Memorial and South China Grove	E. H. Potts	N. C. Teague	O. D. Moore
1953	Oakdale and Enon	R. N. Huneycutt	R. O. Brinkley	O. D. Moore
1954	Trading Ford and Grace	O. D. Moore	R. N. Huneycutt	James L. McCoy
1955	Calvary and Phaniels	R. L. Deneen	R. N. Huneycutt	James L. McCoy
1956	Stallings and China Grove, First	J. W. Allen	E. H. Potts	James L. McCoy
1957	Salisbury, First and Southside	J. A. Richardson	Herman G. Matheny	James L. McCoy
1958	Dunn's Mountain and Rowan Mills	J. H. Simpson	Herman G. Matheny	James L. McCoy
1959	Salisbury, First and Faith	Clyde D. Chapman	Herman G. Matheny	James L. McCoy
1960	Stallings Memorial and Enon	W. J. Stephenson	John H. Simpson	James L. McCoy
1961	Trading Ford and East Spencer	B. Lester Huff	John H. Simpson	James L. McCoy
1962	Spencer, First and Milford Hills	H. M. Hocutt	Clyde D. Chapman	James L. McCoy
1963	Salisbury, First and Rockwell	M. P. Boggs	Clyde D. Chapman	James L. McCoy
1964	Trading Ford and Rowan Mills	Hayden M. Cartner	M. P. Boggs	James L. McCoy
1965	Dunn's Mountain and West Corinth	Marvin W. Dameron	M. P. Boggs	James L. McCoy
1966	Salisbury, First and Calvary	John E. Carter	B. Lester Huff	James L. McCoy
1967	Stallings Memorial and Trinity	Harold J. Mason	B. Lester Huff	James L. McCoy
1968	China Grove, First and North Main	J. D. Whisnant	Graham Carlton	James L. McCoy
1969	Oakdale and Emmanuel	John T. Holland	Graham Carlton	James L. McCoy
1970	Milford Hills and Enon	Ralph C. Hammett	John T. Holland	James L. McCoy

1971—ROWAN BAPTIST CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES—1971

JANUARY

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4- 8—January Bible Study Week
6- 8—State VBS Clinic, Wingate
10—Witnessing Commitment Day
11—Pastors Conference
11—Men's Mission Rally, Stallings Memorial, 7:30
14—Home Missions Study Institute, Trinity, 7:00-9:00
19—Associational Council & Executive Committee, Salisbury, First, 7:30
24—Baptist Men's Day

FEBRUARY

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1- 2—State Evangelism Conference, Greensboro, Auditorium
2—Youth Evangelism Night, Greensboro Coliseum
6—RA Leadership, Winston-Salem
7—Baptist World Alliance and Race Relations Sunday
14-20—WMU Focus Week
14—Homes for Aging Offering
15—Pastors Conference
15-17—Rel. Ed. Conf., CaRAway
18—Acteen Banquet, Dunns Mountain, 7:00 P.M.
22—Reg. Choir Festival, Ardmore, Winston-Salem

MARCH

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1- 2—State Metropolitan Conference
7-14—Home Missions Week of Prayer
7—Evangelism-Home Missions
13—GA Prayer Retreat, Calvary, 9:30-11:00 A.M.
14—Home Missions Day in SS
14-21—Youth Week
15—Pastors Conference
16-18—WMU Annual Session, Fayetteville
19—Youth Choirs, Hickory, First
20—Youth Night, Milford Hills, 7:30
26-27—Baptist Men's Convention and RA Congress, Winston-Salem
29-30—Rural-Urban Conf., Greensboro
29-Apr. 2—Preschool Workshops, VBS Clinic, Stallings (Two sessions: 9:00 A.M. and 6:00 P.M.)

APRIL

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1—Annual WMU, China Grove, First, 7:00 P.M.
2- 3—GA Day Camp Workshop, Mundo Vista
6—Church Training Tournaments, Emmanuel, 7:30
5- 6—State Adult SS Institute, Raleigh
11—Easter Sunday
12—Pastors Conference
16—Acteen Meeting
17—Missions Action Workshop
19-23—Church Leadership Training Week
20—Executive Prom. Com., Salisbury, First, 7:30
23—Ministers Workshop, High Point
23-24—Baptist State Youth Convention
23-24—Church Library Conv., Raleigh

MAY

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2- 9—Christian Home Week

9—Mother's Day Offering, Hospital

10—Pastors Conference

10—Men's Witnessing Rally, 7:30, Dunns Mountain

15—State RA Track Meet

17—Sunday School Conf., Faith, 7:30 "Tips for Better Teaching"

21—Reg. Church Tr. Tournaments, Knollwood, Winston-Salem

21-23—Teachers' Conf. (Deaf), CaRAway

JUNE

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27	28	29	30			

1- 4—SBC Meeting, St. Louis

7—State Tournaments, Fruitland

13—Rel. Liberty Sunday

20—Baptist College Day-Offering

21—Pastors Family Picnic, 5:00, Dan Nichols Park

26—YOUTH, Enon Pavilion, 3:00-9:00 P.M.

JULY

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5- 9—Christian Study and Fellowship, Mars Hill College

12—Pastors Conference

20—Exec. Prom. Com., Salisbury, First, 7:30

29—Acteens Meeting

AUGUST

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2- 4—Rural-Urban Conf., Gardner-Webb

4—SS Briefing, Ridgecrest

9—Pastors Conference

10—Associational Officers Planning and Training, Milford Hills, 7:30

12—Assoc'n. Calendar Planning, Associational Parsonage, 5:00

23-29—Assoc'n. Missions Week of Prayer

27-28—Workshop-WMU Assoc'n. Leaders

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10-11—Brotherhood Leaders, CaRAway
10-11—Assoc'n. WMU Leadership Workshop
11—Girls in Action Round-up, North Main, 9:30-11:00
13—Pastors Conference
13—WMU Leadership Courses, Spencer, First, 7:00
14—SS Launching Night, Rowan Mills, 7:30
15—Area SS Conv., Friendly Ave., Greensboro
19—State Missions Day Offering
19-26—Church Launching Week
27-30—Area Bible Conferences
27—WMU Leadership Courses, Spencer First, 7:00

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1- 2—Father-Son Camp, CaRAway
1- 3—Baptist Young Women Convention Pritchard Memorial, Charlotte
4—WMU Leadership Training
5—First Timers Choir Festivals
6—Cooperatitve Program Prayer Time
8- 9—Pastors and SS Directors Conf., CaRAway
11—Pastors Conference
11—Brotherhood Workshop, Faith, 7:30
12—Exec. Prom. Committee, Salisbury, First, 7:30
16—Piano-Organ Festivals
16—RA Leadership Courses, Ashboro
18-19—Reg. Evangelism Conf. for Men
19—Church Training Officers Clinic, China Grove, First, 7:30
24—American Bible Society Day
25—Foreign Mission Study Institute, Oakdale, 7:00-9:00
26-27—Annual Associational Meeting

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1- 7—RA Week
1—Man and Boy Banquet, 7:00 P.M., Salisbury, First
8- 9—Youth Leadership Skills Impro.
11—Acteens Meeting
15-17—Baptist State Conv., Charlotte
21—Thanksgiving Offering for Children's Homes
21—"M" Night Choir Rehearsal, Enon, 2:30 P.M.
22—Pastors Conference
22—"M" Night, Enon, Hymn Sing, 7:00
29-Dec. 1—Week of Prayer for Foreign Missions

DECEMBER

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5—Foreign Missions Day in SS
6—Pastors and Wives Fellowship Supper, Asso. Parsonage, 6:30
14—VA Carol Sing, 7:00, Chapel
26—Student Night at Christmas